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## Saud back in Jeddah

JEDDAH, Oct. 18 (SPA) — Foreign Minister Prince Saud Al-Faisal returned here from Damascus where he stopped over for talks with President Hafez Assad of Syria.

President Assad and Prince Saud discussed practical means for implementing the resolutions of the conference.

Prince Saud arrived here Tuesday evening from Beirut after leading the Kingdom's delegation to the conference.

## Ends Baha tour today

## Fahd opens power station



SATELLITE STATION: Crown Prince Fahd at the opening of the earth satellite station in Baha Tuesday.

BAHA, Oct. 18 (SPA) —

Crown Prince Fahd Wednesday opened the new power station here, inspected a sponge factory and attended a reception given in his honor, as he continued his tour of the south and south-western provinces.

Speaking on the occasion of the opening of the power station, the acting Minister of Industry and Electricity, Dr. Abdul Aziz Al-Khateeb said that the station has a 60-megawatt capacity.

There are 280 kilometers of wire which are linked to transformer stations at Baha and other towns in the region. The project has seven diesel generators and a network of 22,000 timber poles stretching for 1,100 kilometers.

Dr. Al-Khateeb said that the power station will serve an area of 1500 square kilometers, which will include 420 towns and villages in which over 200,000 people will be able to use electrical power. The project cost SR. 539 million.

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## Sanaa orders closure of Egypt consulate

BAGHDAD, Oct. 18 (AP) — North Yemen has ordered the closing of the Egyptian consulate at the Red Sea port of Hodeidah, the Iraqi News Agency reported Wednesday.

The agency said the Soviet consulate in Taiz, Sanaa's twin capital of Yemen, has also been ordered closed.

No reasons were given for the measures, which did not involve expulsion of personnel of the two consulates, the agency added.

## U.S. envoy, Fahd review M.E. peace

By a Staff Reporter

BALJURSHI, Saudi Arabia Oct. 18 (Agencies) — U.S. special envoy Harold H. Saunders was received here Wednesday by Crown Prince Fahd after holding discussions in Jordan with King Hussein concerning the Camp David peace accords.

Saunders, Assistant Secretary of State for the Near East, flew to Saudi Arabia from Amman Tuesday night during a break in his efforts to convince King Hussein to join the Egyptian-Israeli peace talks.

An official announcement in Amman said the king was seeking further clarification of some points from Washington.

Saunders is also attempting to arrange a meeting with 15 Palestinian personalities living in Jordan to explain the "framework for peace" agreement signed by Israel and Egypt that outlines steps for the creation of a Palestinian self-governing authority in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip.

But press reports said some of the Palestinians invited to meet with Saunders had already begged off and others were out of the country.

Meanwhile a senior U.S. official said here Wednesday that Saunders' talks with Prince Fahd centered on "the essence of the current problem, what is now needed for the next step—to broaden the negotiations to include Palestinians and Jordan."

The official who asked to remain anonymous said King Hussein "has not given us an answer yet" on whether he will join in negotiations between Israel and Egypt concerning the future of the West Bank and the Gaza Strip.

Both Jordan and Saudi Arabia have said that the Camp David accords are not acceptable as a final solution to the Middle East conflict.

Saunders' visit to Saudi Arabia "is part of the continuing U.S. effort to assist in establishing a just and lasting peace in the Middle East," the official said. "The purpose is to inform Crown Prince Fahd and other Saudi leaders about the current status of the process toward peace that was initiated by the Camp David accords."

The U.S. aide explained that the United States is anxious to see talks concerning the creation of a "Palestinian homeland" in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip begin as soon as possible.

"All of us are aware that Egypt and Israel are holding negotiations in Washington right now," he said. "If we could start negotiations on the Palestinian issue soon, the Israeli occupation would end in the West Bank and Gaza long before it will end in the Sinai."

Repeatedly using the words "Palestinian homeland," the official said the Camp David accords provide for "a self-governing body set up by international agreement, involving Arab governments, and the Palestinians and registered with the U.N."

"We have the opportunity to end Israeli occupation and set up a Palestinian self-government in the next several months," he said. "If that is rejected by Arab governments, that's a very disturbing proposition. We have been told Arab governments want Israeli withdrawal from the West Bank. For that to be rejected by Arab governments would be very difficult for the American people to understand."

The American official said negotiations on the future of the West Bank and the Gaza Strip could begin in a "matter of days, or weeks," involving "an Egyptian delegation—and there may be some PLO representatives there—and ideally a Jordanian delegation, though that may not be possible at first."

Of the proposed Palestinian self-governing authority, he said, "the moment it comes into being, the Israeli military occupation ends."

The official added that one of the exciting aspects of the Camp David accords is the creation of an environment for a number of solutions that have become available. "It is refreshing to stop talking in the old rhetorical way and start looking forward to solving problems."

He dwelt at length on the Palestinian aspect of the problem. The prospect of a Palestinian homeland was an entirely new thing after Camp David, he said. It was even something that was not mentioned in U.N. Resolution 242. "The Camp David accords provide for a Palestinian self-governing body by international agreement to which the Israeli occupation would end in the West Bank and Gaza long before it will end in the Sinai."

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## Aba Al-Khail denies reevaluation of riyal

By a Staff Reporter  
JEDDAH, Oct. 18 — Saudi Finance Minister Sheikh Muhammad Aba Al-Khail categorically denied reports that the Kingdom has revalued the riyal.

In a statement to "Arab News" Sheikh Muhammad said: "New dollar prices issued by the Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency are constantly changing according to the dollar's relation to the Special Drawing Rights. And this is the case with the riyal."

He added: "It is common knowledge that the riyal is linked to the SDR, which fluctuates. That is why the rate at which SAMA sells the dollar to commercial banks also fluctuates within a 7.25 per cent margin. If it changes beyond that then it may be possible to talk about revaluation or devaluation."



Sheikh Muhammad Aba Al-Khail

The minister said the riyal "is a stable currency and the Kingdom enjoys a good reputation on account of its responsible financial policy. That is why we are anxious to maintain the value of the riyal and shall not permit it to be revalued or devalued."

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## Redeployment of ADF troops underway in eastern Beirut

BEIRUT, Oct. 18 (Agencies) — Syrian troops began withdrawing from a few fortified positions in east Beirut Wednesday as part of a security plan aimed at preventing renewed fighting involving rightist militias, according to Arab diplomatic sources.

The sources said the Syrians, who dominate a 30,000-strong Arab League Deterrent Force (ADF), were being replaced by Saudi and Sudanese units attached to the force.

Earlier in the day, the right-wing Phalangist radio said Syria is to withdraw 10,000 troops from Lebanon, and these will be replaced by an equal number of soldiers from Jordan, Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates.

The radio said the Syrian withdrawal would start Wednesday night in the Beirut area. The scheme was devised to reduce tension in shell-scarred Christian districts of the city by an emergency conference of foreign ministers whose countries contribute to the ADF. The conference ended Tuesday.

The sources said right-wing leaders who control the militias had given assurances to Saudi Foreign Minister Saud Al-Faisal that their men would not hinder the peace moves.

The diplomatic sources said Sudanese soldiers were taking up positions at two strategic bridges which the Syrians had controlled to cut the militias' main supply route from strongholds to the north and east of the city.

They said a Saudi unit was moving to the Rizk Tower, the highest building in Beirut from which the Syrians had pounded rightist positions with multiple rocket launchers.

Local newspapers reported earlier that the Syrians would withdraw to nearby eastern and southeastern suburbs, and the limited redeployment was expected to be completed by the weekend.

Conference sources said that right-wing leader Pierre Gemayel, whose Phalangist Party commands the biggest militia, had expressed tacit approval for the security plan on condition the Syrians lifted their siege of east Beirut.

Western military sources said the moves would have little practical effect, because Syrian troops could quickly move back to the flashpoints if heavy fighting broke out.

Syrian Foreign Minister Abdul Halim Khaddam made it clear there would be no significant changes when he told reporters Tuesday there would be no total withdrawal from fortified positions in the city.

The peace plan was designed to give Lebanese President Elias Sarkis another opportunity for restoring stability which was destroyed by the 1975-76 civil war. The foreign ministers issued a vague set of recommendations for reinforcing the government.

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## Korchnoi abandons challenge

## Karpov retains chess crown

BAGUIO CITY, Philippines Oct. 18 (Agencies) — Challenger Viktor Korchnoi gave up his personal challenge of the Soviet chess system and resigned the 32nd game of the World Chess Championship Wednesday, leaving the title in the hands of Russian Anatoly Karpov.

## Hussein sends note to Bakr

BAGHDAD, Oct. 18 (R) — President Ahmad Hassan al-Bakr Wednesday received a message from King Hussein of Jordan on the Iraqi call for an Arab summit conference in Baghdad on Nov. 2, the Iraq News Agency reported. It said the message was delivered by the chief of the Jordanian Royal Cabinet, Sharif Abdul-Hamid Sharaf, who arrived here earlier Wednesday with the Jordanian Minister of State for Foreign Affairs, Hassan Ibrahim.

Earlier in Cairo, Arab League officials said Saudi Arabia informed the League Tuesday of its agreement to attend a foreign ministers meeting in Baghdad, but that the ministers will have to decide the date of the proposed summit.

The Saudi note to the League reportedly said the ministers will have to agree on the summit's date and asked the League to inform the Iraqi foreign minister and the League members of its attitude.

Later, the Soviet defector accused Karpov and the tournament organizers of forcing "intolerable conditions" on him during the three-month match, longer than any of the 12 previous world title matches.

British Grandmaster Raymond Keene, Karpov's chief second and head of his delegation, telephoned the acting chief arbiter, Miroslav Filip of Czechoslovakia, with Korchnoi's decision at 11:22 a.m. less than six hours before play was to have resumed.

The resignation gave Karpov six victories to Korchnoi's five, let him regain the title he won by default in 1976, and earned him \$350,000 the game's richest prize.

Karpov was asleep when the arbiter informed the Soviet delegation, and Stassis Oboukouskas, the delegation's official interpreter, said he was not awakened immediately.

Later, he shut himself up in a villa provided for his delegation.

and refused to talk with reporters before a news conference later Wednesday night. The 27-year-old champion was said to be exuberant, and was relaxing in a red jogging suit with a few members of his delegation.

One of Karpov's seconds, Grandmaster Evgeny Vasiukov said he foresaw a long reign for Karpov.

"At the present time there is no player who poses a menace or a threat to Karpov," Vasiukov said. Asked about Bobby Fischer, the American who surrendered his title three years ago rather than play under rules he considered objectionable, Vasiukov said: "Fischer has not played for so long, we don't know the caliber of his play."

Keene announced Korchnoi's decision to resign just before telephoning Filip. "Viktor is resigning the game. This match has now ended," he told reporters.

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## Committee studies new plan to rid Jeddah of bottleneck

JEDDAH, Oct. 18 (SPA) — Mayor Muhammad Said Farisi Tuesday presided over a meeting to discuss the frequent traffic bottlenecks between the Kaki and the planned Sheraton Hotel.

The meeting, of the Higher Committee for the Planning and Development of Jeddah, studied a plan for a four-kilometer overpass to be constructed from Prince Fahd Street towards Sabit. The committee also proposed parking lots for the area.

## 45,000 Iranians planning to make Hajj this year

TEHRAN, Oct. 18 (SPA) — Over 45,000 Iranian Muslims will go to Mecca on pilgrimage this year, the Pars News Agency announced Wednesday.

Six flights will operate between here and Jeddah every day from Wednesday until Nov. 4, the agency said. Tehran alone will be sending

## Real estate firm seeks expansion

JEDDAH, Oct. 18 — The Saudi Real Estate Company which is building a residential and commercial complex in Riyadh will undertake similar projects in Dammam, Taif and Al-Khobar, the company told "Al-Riyadh" newspaper.

The company is building a seven-storey residential and commercial complex on a 4800-square meter plot in Riyadh and is negotiating with a Korean firm to construct a 16-floor building in Dammam.

Construction will begin on the first 1200-meter section soon after the pilgrimage to ease traffic on the road leading from the area to the old air terminal.

The committee further held discussions on a plan for an expressway south of the Jeddah Tower housing project and reviewed other road plans to cope with a population which has risen up to 1.2 million people, according to a recent field survey.

The meeting was attended by

24,000 pilgrims. In Medina, a new plan has been drawn up for the arrival and departure of air pilgrims and visitors to the Holy Prophet's Mosque, the city's airport Director, Muhammad Zaman announced Wednesday.

He said that airport halls had been specially equipped for the purpose and that a Red Crescent center, a police station, a health center and a traffic control center had been set up at the airport.

The Red Crescent Society has opened a further 39 first-aid centers at the pilgrimage sites, the society said in Riyadh Wednesday.

The new centers will supplement services provided by 60 other centers and nine dispensaries spread along the pilgrims routes.

The pilgrimage site posts will operate 60 ambulances 24 hours a day, a spokesman said.

experts from the United Nations, the city's Traffic Department and the director of Jeddah's development projects.

Later Wednesday, the mayor inspected the site of a SR25 million drainage and pumping station near Jeddah port.

The station, 15 meters underground will protect an area from flooding in winter.

The station to be completed in 18 months, will have four turbines, with capacity to pump out 80,000 gallons of water per second.

Mayor Farisi has ordered the surfacing of the area over the pumping station as an alternative vehicle route to King Abdul Aziz Street, which will be confined to pedestrians.

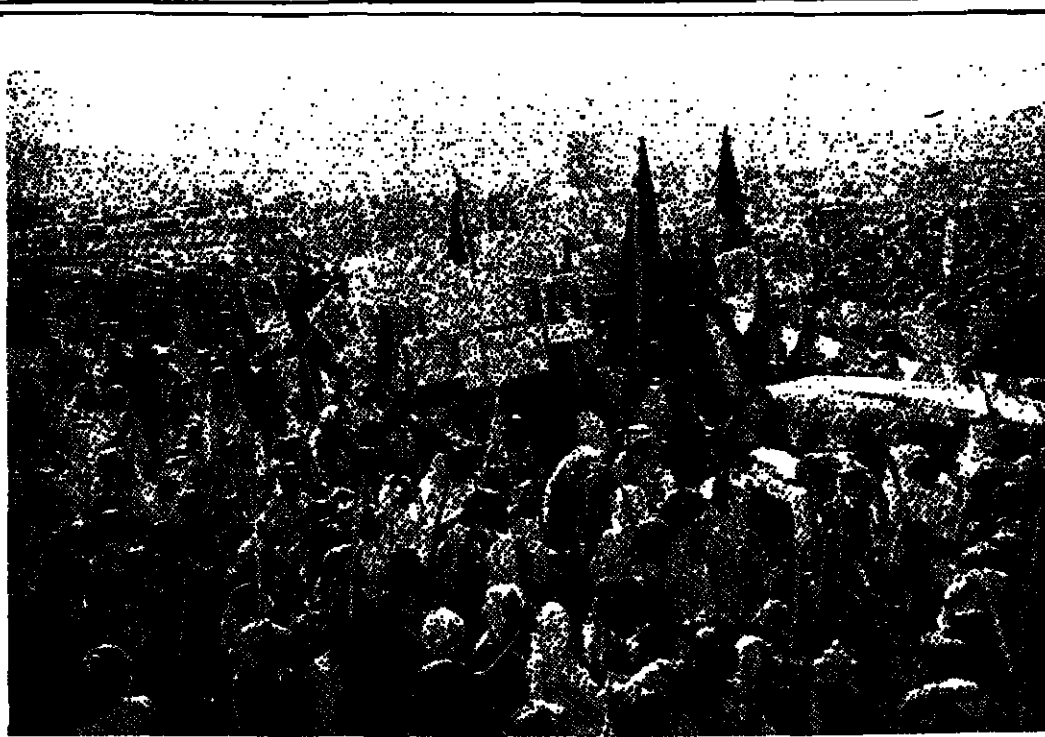
Meanwhile, the Interior Ministry announced in Riyadh Wednesday that it will send 50 secondary school-leavers, from both arts and science streams, on three-year scholarships to study traffic control in the United States.

The ministry will cover all the students' expenses while they receive theoretical and practical training. They will return with the rank of lieutenant.

## Bionic boy takes \$6-million leap

JEDDAH, Oct. 18 — A junior Steve Austin jumped off the top of the Pakistani embassy, "Al-Medina" reported Wednesday, and sustained head injuries.

The little boy said afterwards he was only doing what the "Six-Million Dollar Man" does.



TRIBAL RALLY: Tribesmen from Baha district raise their swords in greeting for Crown Prince Fahd during his tour of the area Wednesday.

Up to \$5.5m

## Kingdom to fund Arabic in Malaysia

KUALA LUMPUR, Malaysia Oct. 18 (AP) — A Saudi-funded Arabic language center will be set up at the Nilam Puri Institute of Higher Islamic Studies in Kota Bharu, 350 kilometers northeast of Kuala Lumpur, Muhammad Yaacob, chief minister of Malaysia's Kelantan State, said Wednesday.

He was speaking at the foundation stone laying for a hostel named after King Khalid. Present was Sheikh Hassan ibn Abdullah al-Sheikh, Saudi minister of higher education.

The chief minister said that with moral and material support from Saudi Arabia, the institution could become the highest center for secondary religious studies in the region.

Yaacob later told reporters Sheikh Hassan promised him that he would make every effort to raise about \$5.5 million to assist in setting up the center.

Speaking before his departure, Sheikh Hassan said the Saudi government would always support any effort to uphold the teachings of Islam and the development of education.

SPA adds: A Japanese cultural mission will arrive in Riyadh next Monday for talks with officials of the Ministry

## IDB sets \$10m for stakes in Pakistan plans

KARACHI, Pakistan Oct. 18 (AP) — The Islamic Development Bank (IDB) in Jeddah has initially earmarked \$10 million for equity participation in certain projects in Pakistan. Khurshid Ahmad, a federal minister said here Wednesday.

Ahmad, who himself negotiated the deal last week, told a news conference that the amount has "a starting point" and discussions are continuing for more funds.

There are four projects in Pakistan to which the IDB is contributing.

It has already provided \$250 million in equity participation to Muslim countries for 60 projects.

The bank's majority stake is held by Saudi Arabia and the balance by other Muslim countries when the bank came into existence two years ago.

While in the Kingdom, Ahmad addressed a seminar on Islamic economics in Mecca.

## PLO aide addresses Muslim League meet

MECCA, Oct. 18 (SPA) — Abu Hisham, a member of the committee of the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO), Wednesday briefed the constituent assembly of the Muslim World League on the results of the Camp David accords.

In particular, he discussed the accords in relation to the cause of the Palestinians and the status of Jerusalem.

The assembly resolved to set up a committee to study aspects of "the important Muslim cause of Jerusalem." The committee will report back to the upcoming assembly meeting Saturday. Abu Hisham is an assembly member.

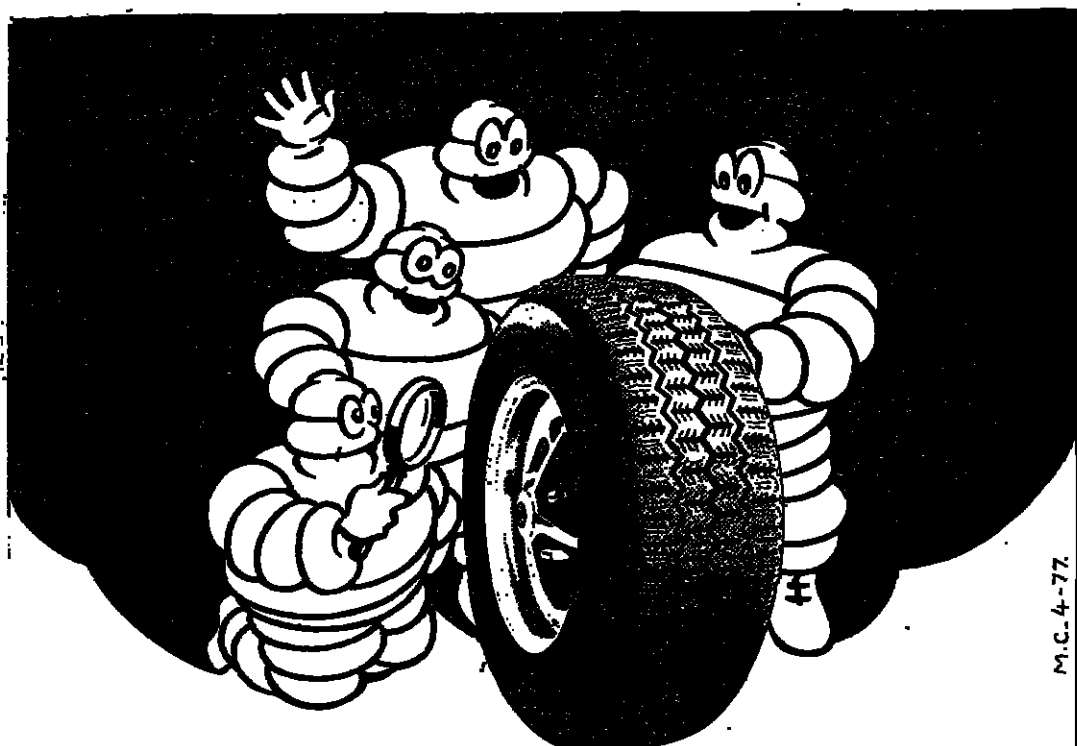
The League, meeting under its chairman Sheikh Abdul Aziz ibn Abdullah ibn-Baz and in the presence of Secretary General Sheikh Muhammad Ali Al-Harkan also set up a committee to study the problem of Philippine Muslims seeking autonomy for the south of the country.

At the same time, Turkish Minister of State for Religious Affairs and Pilgrimage Lutfi Dughan, in a meeting with Harkan, restated his country's commitment to the rights of the Palestinians. He added that there could be no peace in the Middle East until "Jerusalem returned to the Muslim fold."

The Turkish minister expressed satisfaction with his country's relations with Saudi Arabia and Saudi government's efforts to provide every comfort to pilgrims.

## City to replace burnt-out shops

JEDDAH, Oct. 18 — Crown Prince Fahd has asked the minister of finance to allocate SR 57,000,000 for the construction of 1,000 shops in Safiah, Marjanish, Mahmoudiah and Hejariah localities in Medina to replace those destroyed by fire. "Al-Medina" newspaper reported Wednesday.



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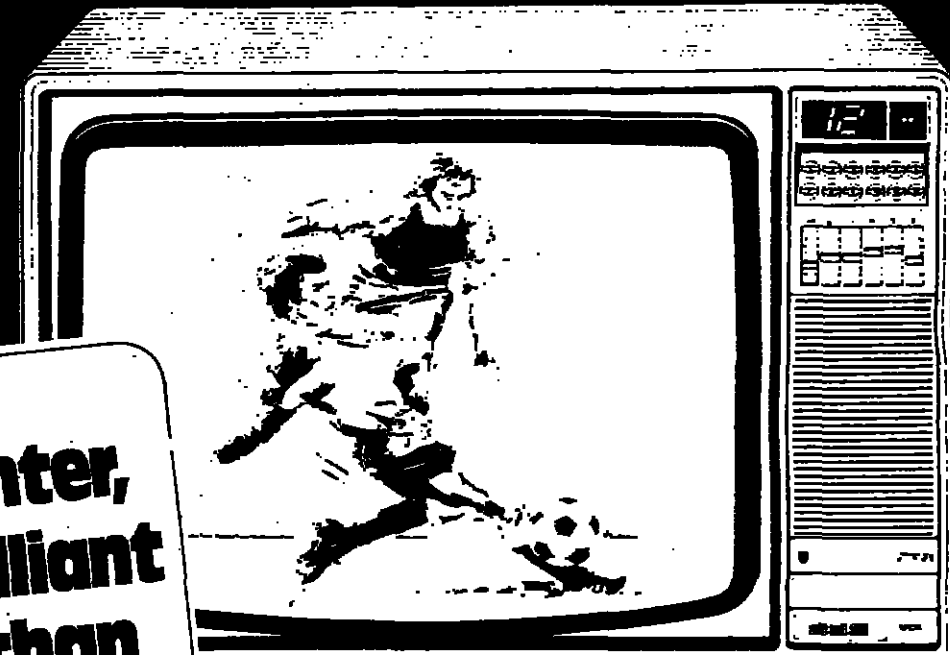
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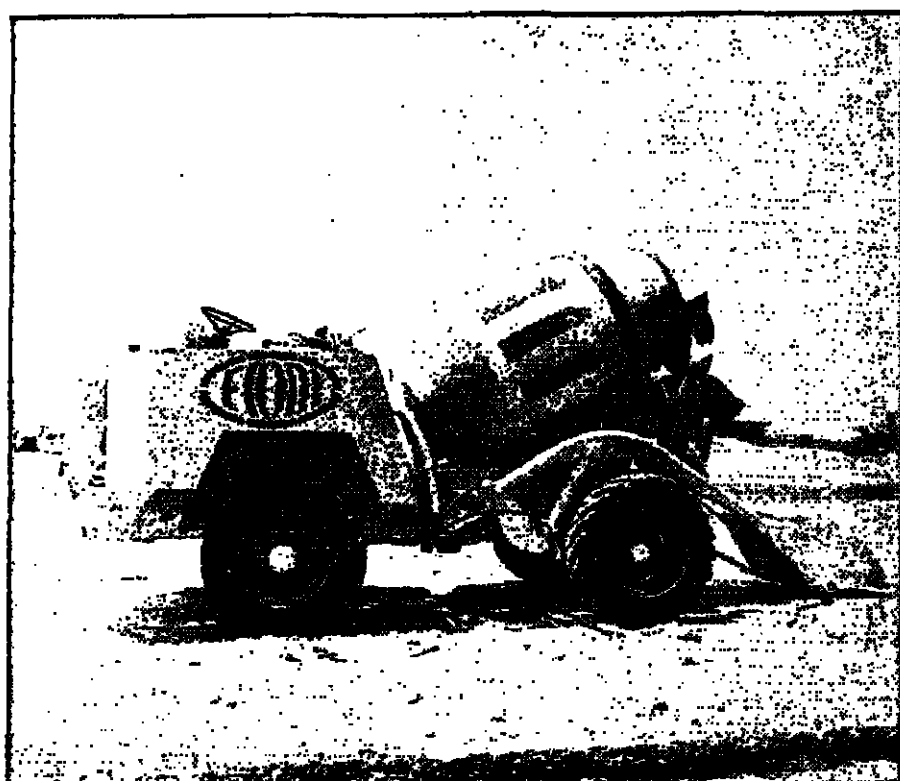
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THE HAGUE, Oct. 18 (AP) — The International Court of Justice wound up ten days of hearings to determine whether it is qualified to rule in the Aegean oil rights dispute between Greece and Turkey.

At the close of the hearings, the Greek ambassador to The Hague, Sotirios Kontantopoulos, said the court would make "a most important contribution to improving Greek-Turkish relations" by deciding to give a ruling in the case.

"Greece and Turkey unfortunately are at present divided by serious and complex differences that cannot be underestimated," the ambassador added, "adding that a court ruling would solve part of the problems between the two countries. The court is due to announce its decision within weeks."

## Support Syria, Jordan, Qaddafi tells Libyans

LONDON, Oct. 18 (R) — Libyan head of state Muammar Qaddafi has called on his countrymen to continue their support of Jordan and Syria, the official Libyan news agency Jana has said.

In a speech in Tripoli on proposed agenda items for a Libyan People's Congress meeting, Qaddafi said Jordan was now re-establishing its relations with the Palestinian resistance and had rejected the Camp David agreements between Israel and Egypt.

"It is possible that the Palestinian people may return to

Jordan because the Palestinian and Jordanian people are but one people," he said.

"It is our national and religious duty in every way to support Jordan at all times because Jordan is a confrontation state."

The People's Congress should reconsider the conditions of the support to Syria it approved last year.

This support need not consist of arms but might also include financial help or increased investment in agriculture and industry he declared.

"If you decide to support



Muammar Qaddafi

Syria, then support it unconditionally, because it is up to Syria alone to fix a date for its war to liberate her lands," he said.

### 3 weeks of disruption

## Iran civil service still striking

TEHRAN, Oct. 18 (R) — Iran, in the throes of a long-term struggle for political stability, remained hit Wednesday by a three-week-old wave of pay strikes in government

offices.

A 12-day-old office strike was slowing down business considerably, and several areas of the economy were increasingly affected by wildcat work stoppages.

The official Pars news agency listed 36 organizations in Tehran and the provinces still hit by strikes, including some government hospitals, customs offices, schools and the oil refinery in the port city of Abadan.

Imports and exports remained halted by strikes of customs officers and some port workers, and one published estimate put at \$600 million the value of goods held up in the ports, including butter, cheese and other perishable foods.

Economists have voiced concern over the long-term inflationary effects of the rash of pay stoppages, which one official estimated would cost the government \$2 billion a year in extra wages — 10 per cent of its annual oil revenue.

The government of Premier

Jaafar Sherif-Emami, appointed on Aug. 27 to forge "national reconciliation" amid mounting street protests and violent clashes, has so far bowed to most strikers' demands.

Housing allowances for low-paid government workers, are its priority project, and it has said it is planning pay rises of 25 per cent in two slices, 12.5 per cent now and the same next March.

## Former boss of SAVAK in Iran; may face court

TEHRAN, Oct. 18 (R) — Iran's former secret police chief, Gen. Nematollah Nassiri, who faces possible prosecution on charges of ordering torture and illegal imprisonment, is reported to have returned to Iran from Pakistan.

The afternoon newspaper "Ettela'at" said Tuesday he was flown back from Pakistan, where he spent nearly four months as Iran's ambas-

## Sami Esmail reported near release

By U.S. Embassy in Tel Aviv

TEL AVIV, Oct. 18 (AP) — Israeli authorities Wednesday granted an early release from prison to Sami Esmail, an American student convicted of membership of a Palestinian commando organization, the United States Embassy said.

Justice Ministry officials were unavailable for immediate comment.

Esmail, a 23-year-old engineering student of Palestinian descent, was arrested last December, when he came to Israel to visit his dying father. He has served two-thirds of

his 15-month sentence.

He was convicted in June of membership of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine (PFLP) and training

with arms in Libya.

The U.S. Embassy said Esmail's release is conditional upon his deportation from Israel.

He would be transferred from Damon Prison near Haifa to Ramle Prison pending arrangements for his departure.

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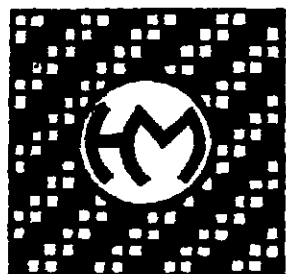
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## Liberals assume power in Sweden

STOCKHOLM, Oct. 18 (R) — Sweden's first Liberal government since 1932 was presented to the Riksdag (parliament) Wednesday by minority Premier Ola Ullsten.

The government takes over from a three-party coalition, led for two years by Thorbjörn Fälldin, which collapsed earlier this month after a clash on nuclear policy.

It consists of 19 ministers, including six women.

The new foreign minister is Hans Blix, 50, a Cambridge-educated career diplomat who worked recently as an international law expert at the foreign ministry in Stockholm.

He has also represented Sweden at the United Nations Swedish Misprint auctioned for \$1/2m

HAMBURG, Oct. 18 (AP) — A Swedish postage stamp, known to philatelists as the Swedish Misprint, was sold at an auction for 1 million marks (over \$500,000) Tuesday.

Lawyer Klaus von Werder bought the only existing specimen of the world's most expensive stamp for an undisclosed client at Mohrmann's International Fall Auction.

General Assembly and the disarmament conference in Geneva.

The government has been described in the Swedish press as the weakest in Europe because it has only 39 of the 349 parliamentary seats and only 11 months left before national elections in September, 1979.

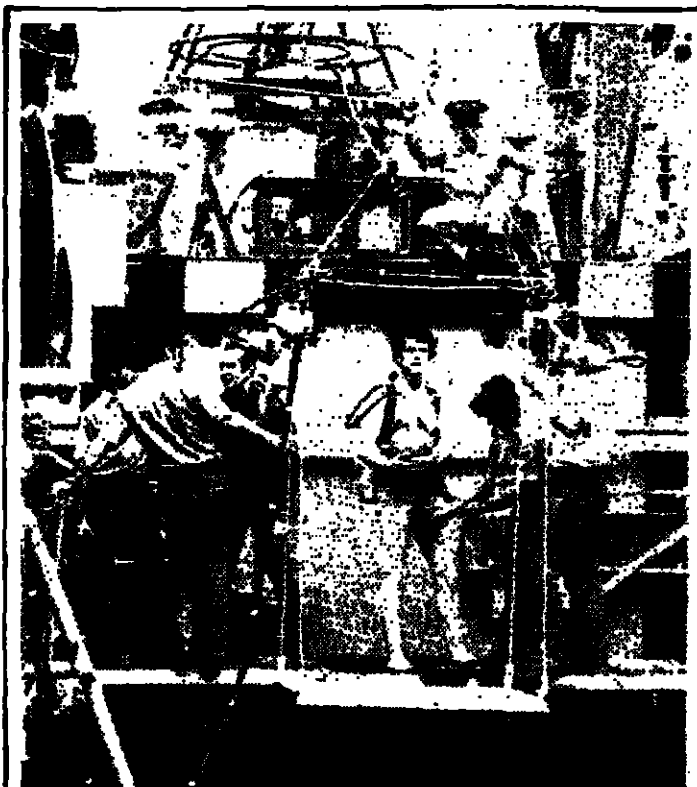
Ingemar Mundebo, 47, who was budget minister in the Fälldin government, takes over the important budget and economic affairs portfolio.

The Swedish economy has just begun to pull out of the worst recession since the 1920s with the foreign trade balance rebounding from deficit to surplus this year.

Mundebo will have to maintain the economic recovery and reduce unemployment, especially among the young.

Erik Huss, 65, becomes industry minister. He faces the daunting task of pulling Sweden's industries, such as shipbuilding and steel, out of a crisis.

With new Cooperation Minister Carl Tham, 39, Huss will be responsible for the future of Sweden's vital energy program.



**SUSPENSION OF DISBELIEF:** The last survivor of Atlanta is seen preparing for a dive off California where a TV series is being filmed. Patrick Duffy plays a man endowed with underwater survival powers.

### Overwhelmingly approved

## Japan ratifies China pact

TOKYO, Oct. 18 (R) — Japan's parliament Wednesday ratified the country's peace and friendship treaty with China.

An overwhelming vote of approval by the upper house paved the way for instruments of ratification to be exchanged when Chinese Vice-Premier Teng Hsiao-ping arrives in Japan on an eight-day visit next Sunday.

The treaty was signed in August after six years of on-off talks and in the face of sharp criticism from Moscow, which saw it as anti-Soviet and threatened retaliation against Japan.

Japanese Premier Takeo Fukuda told parliamentarians Wednesday the treaty provided a favorable atmosphere for reunifying North and South Korea.

### House committee reports

## U.S. bans products, then sells them abroad

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18 (AP) — Chemicals and consumer products that are banned in the United States are being exported with little or no government effort to warn foreign users of possible health hazards, says a House committee report released Wednesday.

The report, prepared by the government Operations Committee, was especially critical of the Consumer Product Safety Commission's delay in

stopping the export of children's sleepwear treated with tri.

The flame-retarding chemical was banned in the United States last year after it was found to cause cancer in laboratory animals. CPSC records indicate that "a total of approximately 2.4 million (trillion) garments were reported as having been exported abroad" before the CPSC blocked export last May, the committee report said. It was

## Torture scene recounted to Durban court

DURBAN, Oct. 18 (R) — Three South African policemen hung a black man from a tree by his neck and beat his feet with a leather whip to make him tell where he had hidden loot from a robbery, a black suspect told a court Tuesday.

Thomas Mazolo was giving evidence in the trial of the policemen—two whites and a black—charged with murdering black prisoner Paulos Cane, who admitted stealing 10,000 rand (\$11,500) from a van at Hluhluwe in Natal, died in hospital on July 13 while he was awaiting sentence.

The three constables—Darrell Godwin, 20, David Atherstone, 20, and Mphumuzeni Mithethwa, 36—have pleaded not guilty to murdering him. Mazolo, who pleaded guilty to being Cane's accomplice in the theft, told the court he had already shown the police where he had hidden his share of the money but "Mr. Cane said he could no longer find the money as he had been assaulted so often over the past three days that his eyes were badly swollen and he could not see through them any longer," Mazolo said.

The money was later found in the bush with the help of a witch doctor, the court was told.

Mazolo said the policemen drove the two men to a farm and repeatedly hit and kicked them while they were walking through the bush.

The policemen took them to a tree, tied a rope around Cane's neck and left him hanging with his toes barely touching the ground. Mazolo said.

"The sjambok (leather whip) was then passed to all three policemen who hit his bare feet with it, and Constable Godwin grabbed him at the

bottom of his pants and shook him to and fro."

After Cane was released from the noose, Constable Godwin stamped on his neck and Constable Atherstone

stamped on his chest, Mazolo said.

Both prisoners were then suspended from a tree by their wrists and beaten, the witness said.

### Moscow extols virtues of the humble cabbage

MOSCOW, Oct. 18 (R) — Moscow housewives are being swamped with propaganda this week for the humble cabbage.

The Kremlin, faced with a bumper crop and a shortage of other vegetables, is using everything from nutrition advice to poetry to remind Muscovites of its delights.

Tuesday night, a college professor answered what were said to be readers' letters asking for advice on cooking cabbage.

Methods ranging from picking to extracting the juice were offered, under the headline "Cabbage—healthy and delicious" and alongside a photograph of a shop assistant solemnly handing a cabbage to a housewife.

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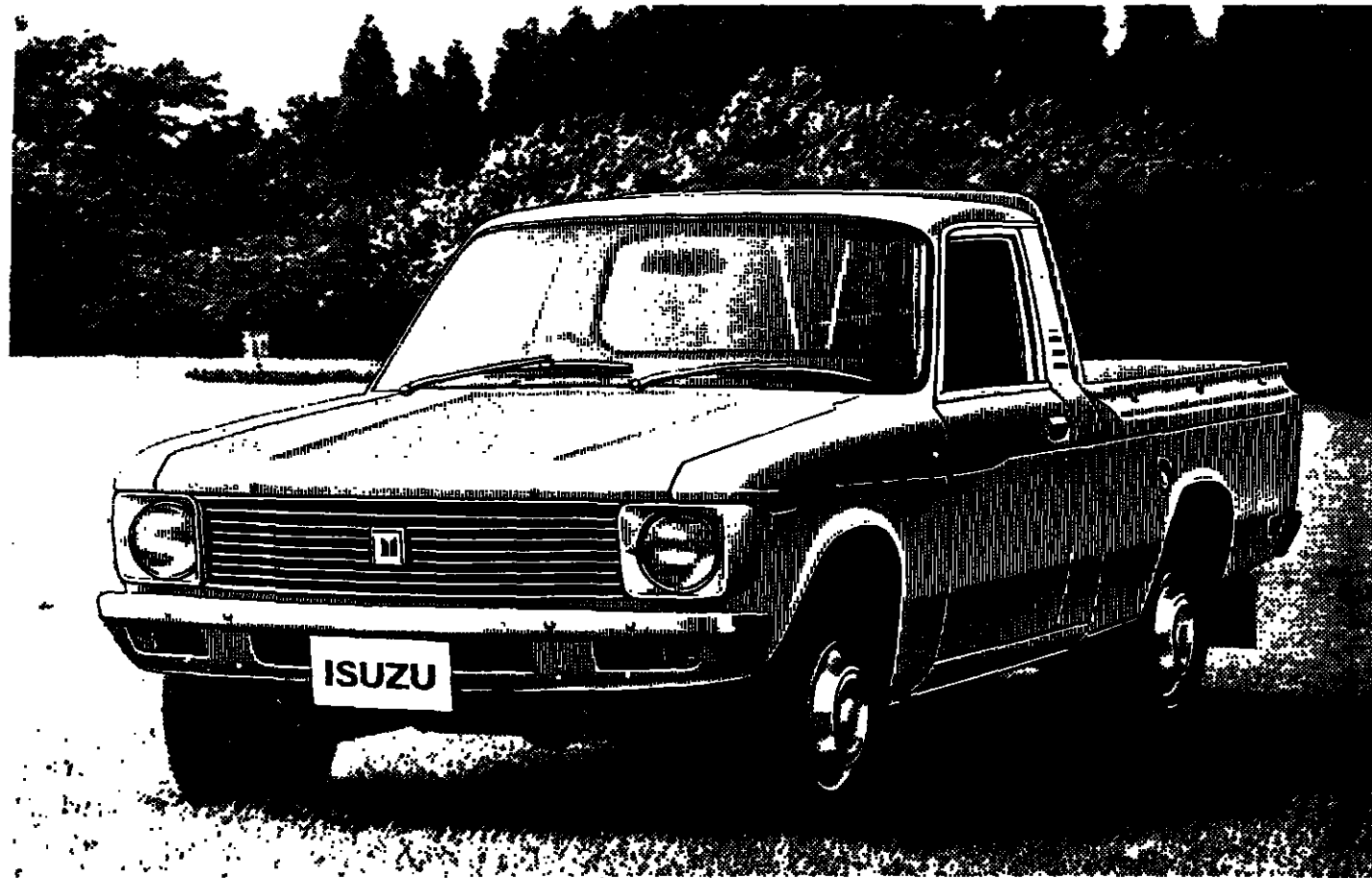
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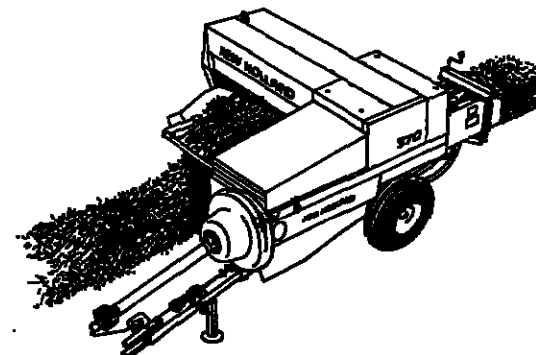
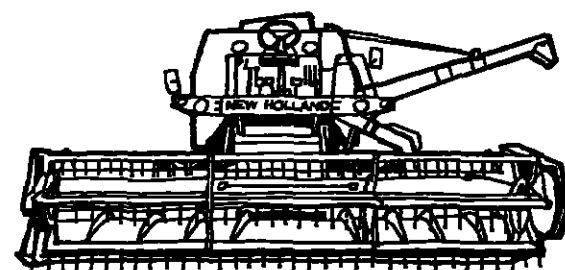
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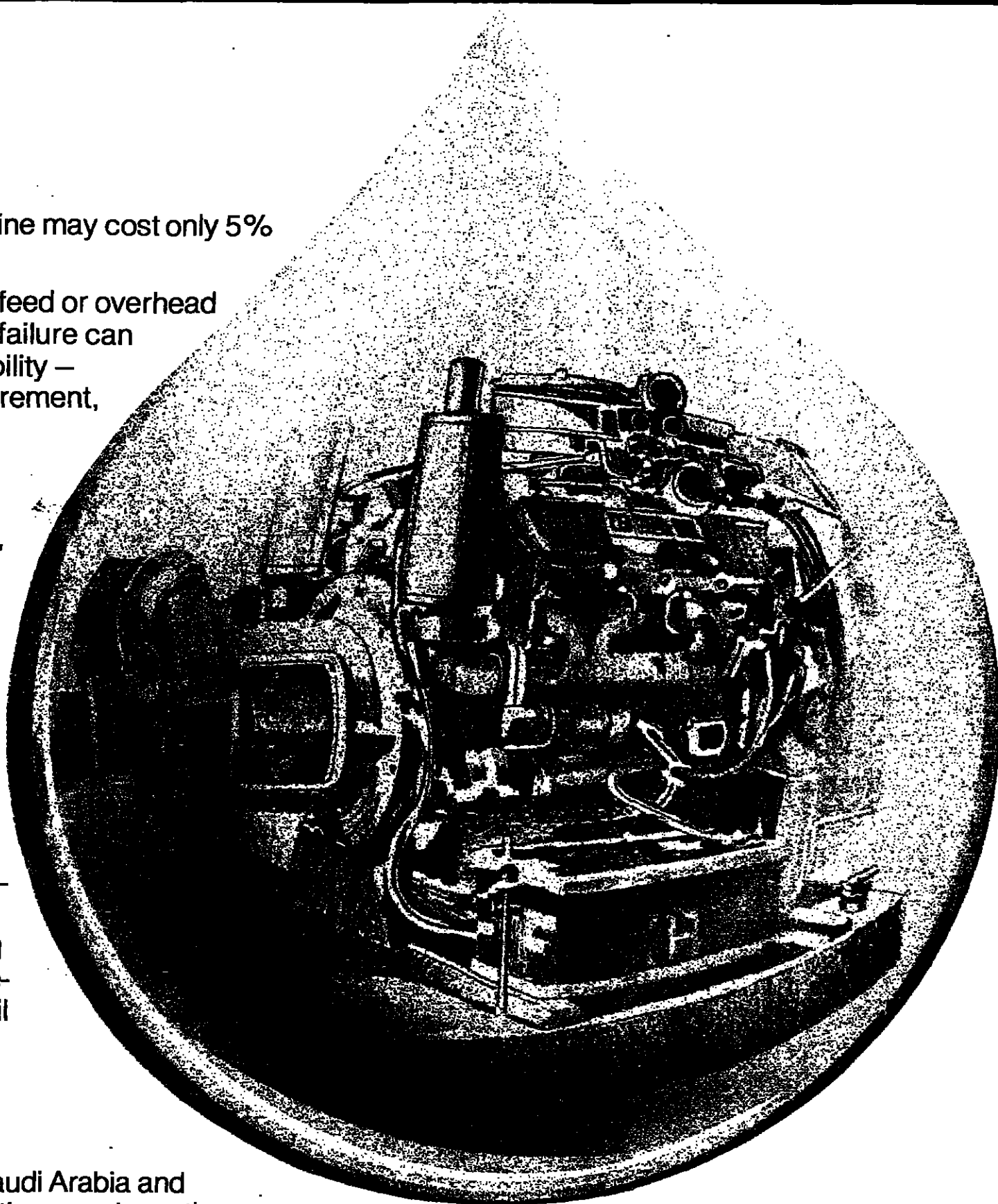
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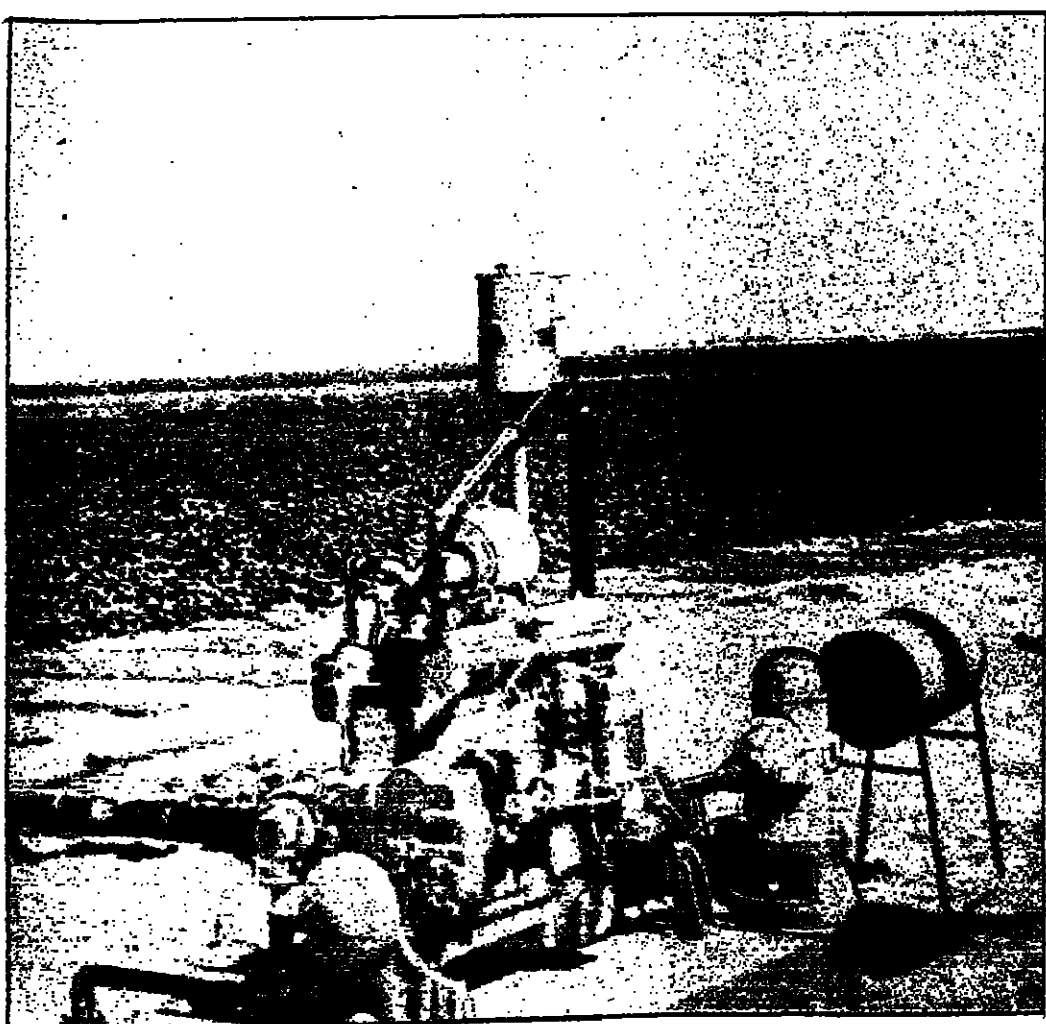
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The writer cited some examples, derived from press reports that a few people died last week after eating or drinking damaged foods, including a

Two main points deserved comment by the editorial. One was an affirmation of the political legitimacy of the regime and reliance on the ADF

media for the sake of national unity. These are important clauses," according to the paper, "and should be attended to by the state."

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Currently, the SDR is encumbered with a regulation that make it unsuitable as a currency for the general public. With modification, it could become a simple currency obligation of the International Monetary Fund.

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an army general who took part in ending civilian rule in the country. "He is more moderate than the outgoing president Gesel and may re-

Europe and the United States. "Moreover, he should attend more vigorously to agricultural development and the exploitation of raw materials."



## In concert Arab influences in Europe's music



Anthony Rooley and Emma Kirkby

By F. W. Rawling  
JEDDAH — Music lovers here will have an opportunity Saturday evening to hear a concert given by Anthony Rooley, Lutenist, and Emma Kirkby, Soprano, to illustrate Arab influences on specifically English and Italian music of the sixteenth century renaissance.

Tracing the origins of this influence is a fascinating exercise which discovers ancient and intricate movements in the relationship between Europe and the Arab world.

The simple skin-bellied lute and drum of the Bedouin, with which they accompanied their poets' songs and recitations of noble deeds, became transformed, in the brilliant court of Harun al Rashid, into a sophisticated art form.

Al Kindi, "The Philosopher of the Arabs," flourished in Baghdad in the ninth century. Among a host of philosophical and scientific works, he wrote the first treatise in Arabic on the theory of music. These establish a direct link with the Greek writers. Although the theoretical aspects of Arabic music were systematized through reference to the Greeks, the xpositional aspects were entirely Arab. Rhythm—"Iqa"—was an inherent quality of Arabic music, and metrical music and song was known among the Arabs long before it became established in Europe.

Al Farabi (870-950 A.D.), another of those towering Muslim encyclopedists, philosophers and political theorists, was the rearest exponent of the Arabic theory of music. Known as

"The Second Teacher," (Aristotle being the first) he was also a superb instrumentalist. He could play his lute "so as to cast his hearers into a fit of laughter, draw tears from their eyes, or set them all asleep," as P.K. Hitti writes in "History of the Arabs."

Ibrahim al Mawalli (742-804 A.D.) a Persian, became the chief musician and boon companion of Harun al Rashid. He probably introduced the wood-bellied, Persian lute to replace the Bedouin skin one. Ibrahim was the chief star of a galaxy of two thousand outstanding performers. Some of the Ummayyad Caliphs were themselves excellent composers and instrumentalists, like some of the later kings of renaissance Europe.

Although there was cross fertilization between Greek, Arab and Byzantine musical modes, the greatest impact upon Europe was made by the Arab musicians of Andalus. A disciple of Mawalli, Ziryab, arrived in Cordoba in 822 A.D. Here he became the favorite of the ruler, Abdul Rahman II, who encouraged him to open a conservatory of music.

By the 11th century, the music of Muslim Spain had completely surpassed that of Baghdad. Seville manufactured and exported a great variety of musical instruments. The Christian population of Spain gradually came to accept Muslim musical modes. The Troubadours took into their own songs the sentiments, subjects and styles of the Arabs and they became the popular musicians

A potpourri of events and activities from around the Kingdom.

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Thursday, Oct. 19 — Saturday, Oct. 21:

"The Work of Frei Otto," an architecture exhibit at King Abdul Aziz University's school of environmental design (Building 19). Daily from 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 21:

"European Renaissance Music Reflecting Arabic Influences," a concert by the British duo of Anthony Rooley on lute and Emma Kirkby, a soprano. At the Parent's Co-operative School, "Player's Playhouse," 8 p.m. Tickets SR 15, available at the door.

Monday, Oct. 23 — Thursday, Oct. 26:

"The Importance of Being Earnest," an Oscar Wilde comedy, presented nightly by the Saudi Equity Theater group. At the Player's Playhouse, 8 p.m. Tickets: SR 15 for Monday night, SR 20 thereafter; available at the British Embassy Library.

Tuesday, Oct. 24 — Friday, Oct. 27:

"Boehm Porcelain Exhibition," with Mrs. Helen F. Boehm. At the Meridien Hotel. Hours: 9:30 a.m. — 12 noon; 5 p.m. — 10 p.m.

RIYADH

Thursday, Oct. 19 — Friday, Oct. 20:

"Doctor in Love," a comedy, presented by the Riyadh Amateur Dramatic Operetta Society (RADOS). At the Banda Sudani outdoor theater, 8 p.m. Tickets SR 10, available at the door.

DHAHRAN

Thursday, Oct. 19 — Friday, Oct. 20:

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Saturday, Oct. 21 — Wednesday, Oct. 25:

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of the whole of southern Europe. In the sacred music of Europe, also, metrical disciplines were introduced from Arabic models.

Progress in the art of European music was assisted by the lute (Arabic oud) and the rebec (rabab) which was the forerunner of the modern violin. The guitar, the horn, the trumpet and the tambourine are also Arab contributions to the evolution of European musical traditions. Anyone who has thrilled to the passion and fire of modern Spanish and traditional popular music, cannot be unaware of its Moorish origins.

Arabic military music and the use of cymbals (sunnaj) according to the authoritative H.G. Farmer, came into Europe from Syria, during the Crusades.

To illustrate these influences, Anthony Rooley and Emma Kirkby have chosen a representative selection of renaissance music. The works are arranged into two programs. The first, music from Italy, Spain, and England, comprises courtly

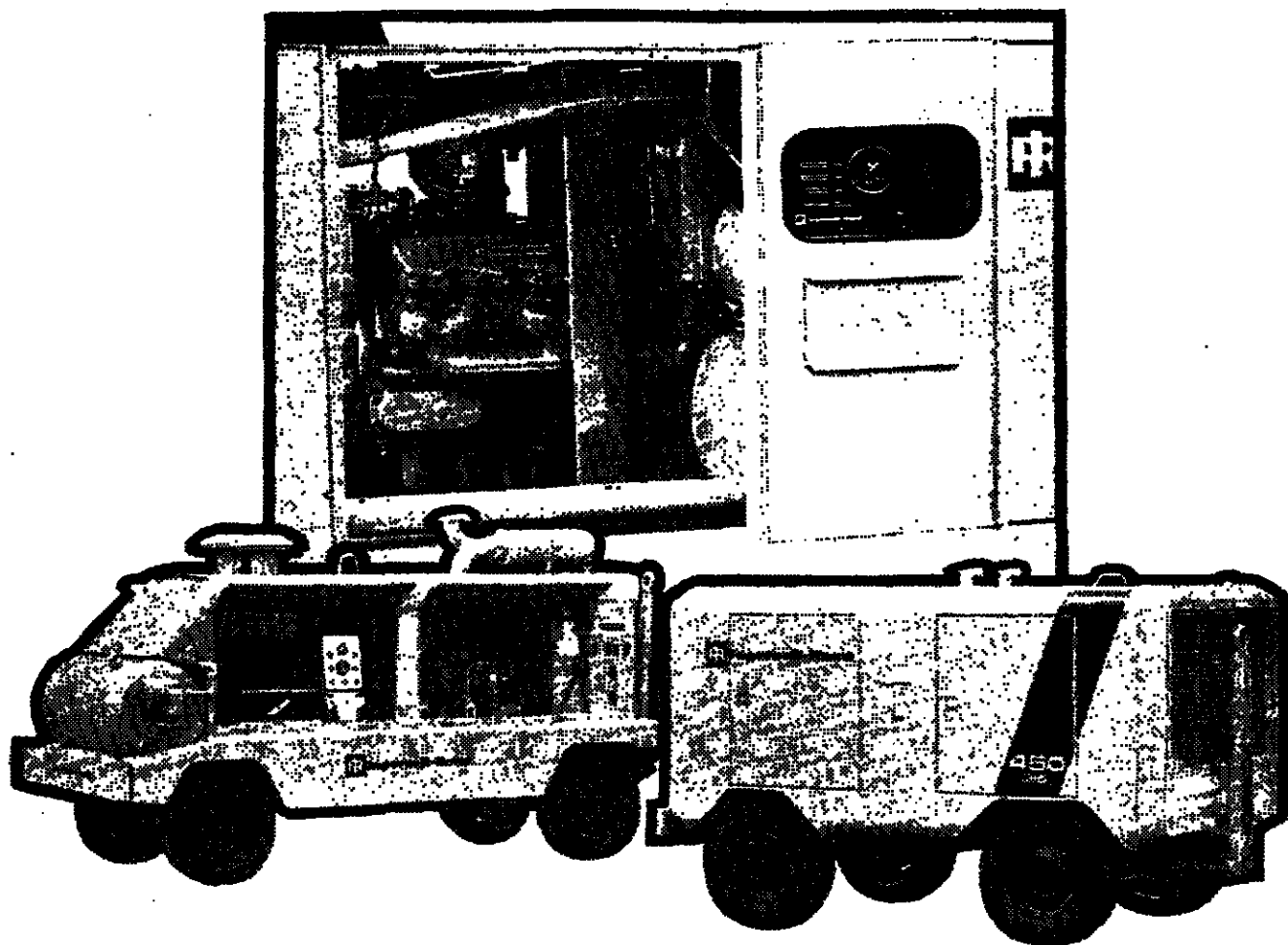
songs, both exuberant and sad. The lute and the voice have many occasions to excel both in combination and in solo parts.

The second program, entirely of English music, comprises examples of the works of Dowland, Campion and Danyel. Here, both sadness and mirth are shown as necessary elements in the human condition. A Prelude by John Dowland, the most famous lutenist of his day, illustrates the range and subtlety of the instrument and its improvisations. Some of the music, especially that of Thomas Campion, is of a devotional character.

Anthony Rooley founded a center for the study of early European music in London. Emma Kirkby specializes in interpreting music of a period when the human voice was the supreme instrument.

The concert, which is sponsored by The British Council, will take place at the Parents' Cooperative School, at 8 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 21. Tickets are SR15, and will be available at the door.

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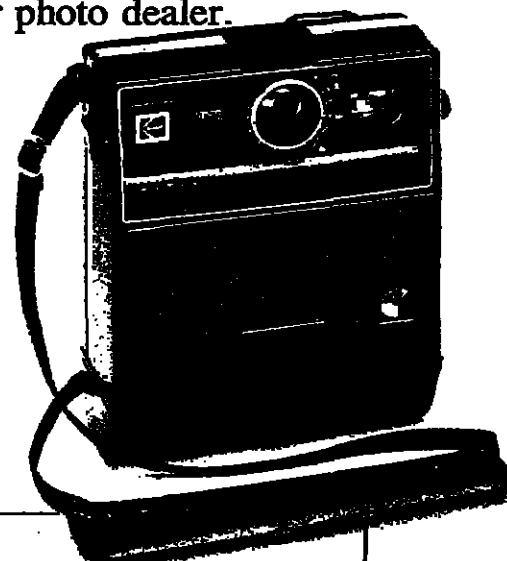


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# A camera chronicle of life behind the wire in wartime America

LOS ANGELES — Tokyo Miyatake was one of more than 100,000 Japanese interned in the Western United States during World War II. A successful commercial photographer in 1942, he and his family and neighbors had to abandon their homes to live in numbered, tar paper covered barracks in the middle of a wilderness near Lone Pine, California.

In spite of a wartime prohibition against Japanese possessing cameras in the United States, Miyatake smuggled a lens into the Manzanar internment camp and became the only person to make a photographic diary while living behind the barbed wire.

Miyatake, known affectionately among friends as "Toyo-san," hasn't been separated from photography since those days in the early 1920s. Today he runs the oldest portrait studio in Los Angeles' Little Tokyo district.

Miyatake, quiet and soft-spoken in his fragile 80s, recently sat in the graying light of the rear of his photo studio and recalled the confused period just after the outbreak of the war. He said when Pearl Harbor was attacked in December, 1941, he and his family began carefully storing away the equipment in his studio. He said they half-expected the Japanese community to be rounded up by American military authorities.

Indeed, two months after war was declared President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed into law Executive Order 9066, consigning 110,000 Japanese on the West Coast—most of them American citizens—to one of 10 hastily built internment camps in the deserts and mountains of the Western United States.

The Miyatakes gave their new car to a Japanese who preferred living on the East Coast over internment, rented their home to a physician and began stamping all their belongings with their new government number—9975—in anticipation of their evacuation.

By March, 1942, the Miyatakes were on the crowded train bound for Manzanar with only those belongings they could carry. One morning they disembarked at the gate of a big, barbed-wire compound. The air had a frosty bite, snow lay in patches on the ground.

The secret  
Tucked away deep inside Miyatake's warm winter coat was his "secret." The one even his wife did not know about.

"I was lucky," he recalled. "The army find my film holder in my suitcase. But they let me keep it because they see I have no camera. And they didn't find my lens."

Within a few weeks, using the smuggled 150-millimeter portrait lens and wood from a wild apple orchard in camp,



Toyo Miyatake with his old camera

the photographer and a fellow internee built a handsome box camera that resembled an oversized lunch pail.

He explained that once the illegal camera had been built he prowled the Sierra Mountains camp looking for scenes of ordinary daily activities, scenes of fellow Japanese at work and play; nothing of military significance. He shot sparingly, making do with the few sheets of black and white film and chemicals he could get mailed to him from his old studio supplier in Los Angeles. (Internees, regularly received mail from the outside and routinely did their shopping through the Sears mailorder catalog.)

Miyatake said he knew it would be only a matter of time until camp authorities caught on to what he was doing. Meanwhile, he kept up his photographic diary. Then one day it happened. A camp policeman tapped him on the shoulder and led him to the office of Manzanar's civilian director.

He explained who he was and why he was shooting pictures at Manzanar. ("It is my duty. This is history.") The camp director wholly and un-

expectedly agreed that a record did need to be made of this chapter in American history. "The camp director was a good man," said the photographer. "He said to me he will look the other way" while the pictures were taken.

Nevertheless, the camp director imposed two ground rules on Miyatake for the sake of appearances. After all the government still strictly forbade the Japanese—American citizens or not—from taking pictures. Rule one, Miyatake had to turn his camera lens over to camp authorities each evening. Rule two, he could set up his own pictures without fear of army censors. But a Caucasian camp worker must actually trip the shutter.

Life at Manzanar settled into its daily rhythms and by 1943 the camp director dropped all pretense of restricting Miyatake's activities. Miyatake was permitted to send for all his equipment in Los Angeles. He ran a fully operational studio and photo lab, converted from an empty laundryroom.

Before Miyatake left Manzanar with his family in the autumn of 1945, he had shot thousands of pictures of life



Pictures taken by Miyatake at Manzanar internment camp

graphs reflect the internal strife that developed among some internees over the divided loyalties to Japan and the United States.

"The fact that many young Japanese have been disappointed in not finding any tangible evidence of camp repression or unhappiness in Miyatake's pictures is beside the point. The Manzanar photographs are by an insider, and for that reason alone they are considered historically important."

"Just because the pictures look as though some people enjoyed their years at Manzanar doesn't subtract from their (the pictures') historic value."

The photographer observed that "(many) young people think that the camps are gloomy, like (Nazi) concentration camps. But that is not so. It is just like another Little Tokyo at Manzanar. People there are happy."

"It is a place where there is no anti-Japanese feeling. A place where we do not get pushed around."

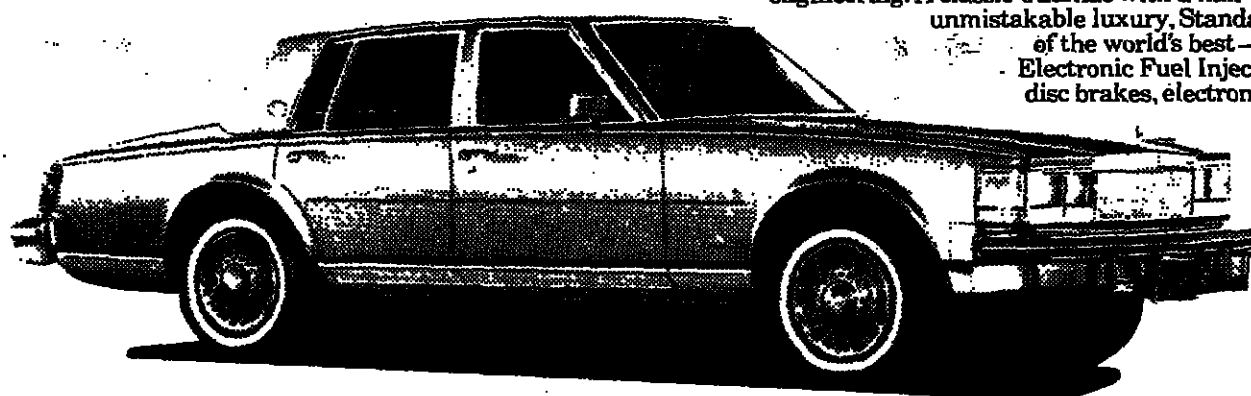
After the war Miyatake and his sons (chiefly his eldest, Archie) strove to make their shop one of the best known in Little Tokyo. Miyatake, who drove around town in a small white convertible sports car and wore a black beret, continued to produce his stylized portraits — author Thomas Mann and Japan's Crown Prince Akihito were among his subjects. — (LAT)

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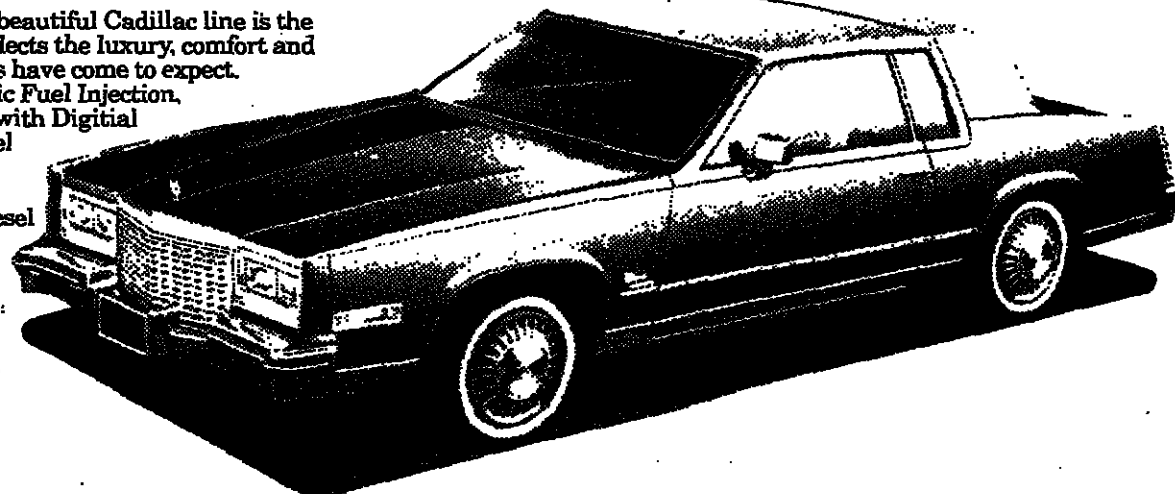


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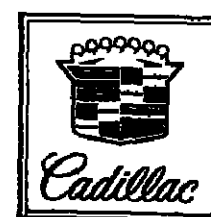


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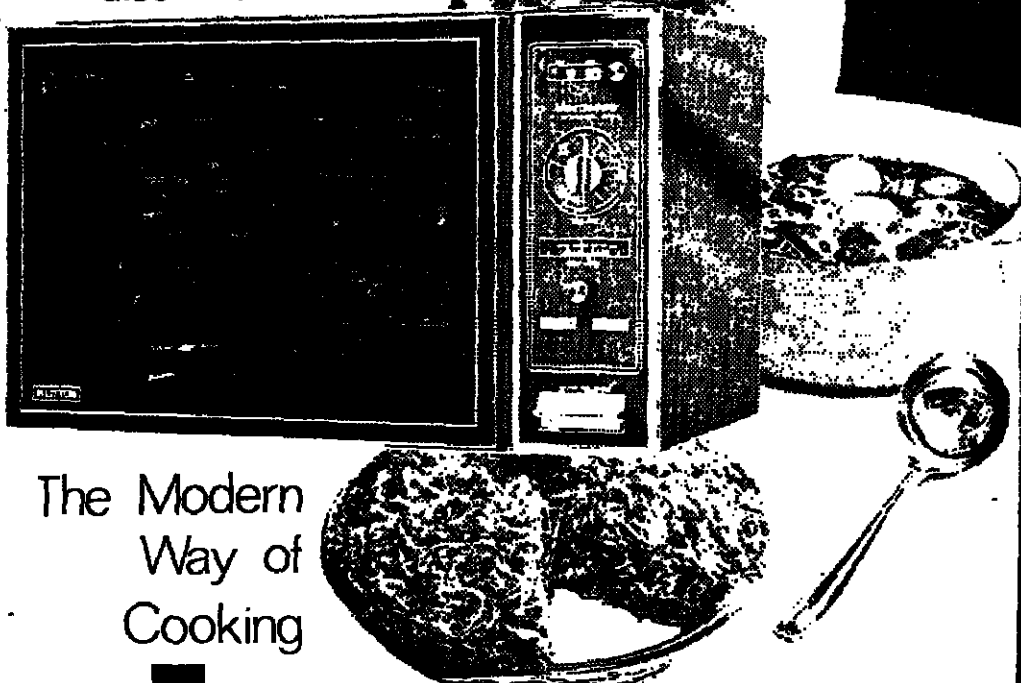
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## Greatest comeback in history

## Yanks silence critics with mighty win

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 18 (Agencies) — The New York Yankees capped the greatest comeback in World Series history Tuesday night when they

beat the Los Angeles Dodgers, 7-2, to win their second straight Series by four games to two. The Yankees, who in mid-July looked like they had lit-

tle chance of the American League pennant let alone the World Series, attacked Dodger pitching for 11 hits, including a two-run homer by Reggie

Jackson. Jim "Catfish" Hunter was the winning pitcher in Tuesday night's sixth game of the best-of-seven series.

The victory gave the Yankees their 22nd World Series championship — they have long held the record — and their seventh win over the Dodgers in the Autumn Classic.

For New York the series victory was typical of the way they had done it all year — from behind.

The Dodgers won the first two games in Los Angeles, but the Yankees returned to New York and won all three home games before making it four straight Tuesday night.

Los Angeles took a one-run lead in the first innings when second baseman Davey Lopes cracked a home run into the left-field bleachers.

The Yankees romped back with three runs in the second and never trailed again.

Los Angeles cut the margin to 3-2 in the third as Joe Ferguson doubled to right-center and scored as Lopes singled to center.

But the Yankees scored a pair of runs each in the sixth and seventh, the latter two on the home run by Jackson, to put the game and the Series away.

The win was sweet revenge for the Yankees, labelled "dead" midway through the season.

On July 19 the Yankees trailed the Boston Red Sox by 14 games. But New York caught fire, winning 42 of its last 56 games, including a one-game playoff with the Red Sox to decide the AL East title.

The Yankees also broke four World Series team batting records for a six-game series — all of them held by the 1936 Yankees.

The Yankee total of 68 hits broke the mark of 65.

**Game Six**  
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Hunter (W), Gossage (8), and Munson; Sutton (L) Welch (6), Rau (8) and Ferguson; Hr Lopes, Jackson.



**CATFISH:** Yanks veteran starter Jim 'Catfish' Hunter confesses he didn't pitch his best ball and scattered several hits but he held the Dodgers until replaced by Rich Gossage after Joe Ferguson's leadoff double in the eighth.

## Dodgers admit New York edge

LOS ANGELES, (AP) — Second baseman Davey Lopes, the captain of the Dodgers, was even-handed in defeat.

"We had opportunities and the Yankees had opportunities," he said. "It looked like they were a team a little better than we were."

"Two years in a row," said Lopes. "You can be lucky one year but not twice. So hats off to the Yankees."

Shortstop Bill Russell, the leading Dodger batter who was criticized for his fielding, commented: "Last year, Davey and I didn't hit. This year, we did. But we left too many on base. We made too many mistakes. We've played good ball, but they played better. We just got beat," he said.

Steve Garvey, the Dodgers' leading hitter during the regular season and star of the National League playoffs, failed to knock in a run during the World Series while Ron Cey, the hard-hitting third baseman who had one hit in this final game, said: "We gave up a lot more runs than we should have been giving up."

Right fielder Reggie Smith said he felt the turning point in the series was the fielding of Graig Nettles in the third game.

## Unknown gives Evert trouble

BRIGHTON, England, Oct. 18 (AP) — Chris Evert, the world's leading woman tennis player, was Tuesday taken to three sets by an unknown American girl at the \$75,000 BMW Challenge.

The tournament's top seed overcame the challenge of 21-year-old Renee Blount 5-7, 6-1, 6-3.

Blount, ninth in the U.S. under-21 rankings, only turned professional three weeks ago and shocked Evert by breaking her service twice and racing to a 5-2 lead in the first set.

## Dent named MVP

## Young New Yorkers steal the game

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 18 (AP) — "The little guys stood 10 feet tall," said team president Al Rosen as corks popped in the New York Yankees' jubilant World Series dressing room.

He meant shortstop Bucky Dent and rookie second baseman Brian Doyle, who contributed 12 hits in the final two games.

"We couldn't have done it without them," added George Steinbrenner, who bankrolls baseball's most successful franchise. It was the Yankees' second consecutive championship and third consecutive World Series appearance.

Dent, who fielded spectacularly and batted .417 in the series, was voted the Most Valuable Player. He will be presented an automobile next Monday by baseball and a national sports magazine.

"I just did what I could in my own little way," said the

slick-fielding shortstop. "They gave me some balls I could hit and I concentrated on meeting the ball."

Doyle, the 23-year-old rookie who rode a roller coaster between the Yankees and their minor farm team in Tacoma all season was besieged by reporters at the end of the game.

"It will take me two or three days to get back to earth," he said.

Doyle, purchased in 1977 from the Texas Rangers and three times sent to Tacoma in the Pacific Coast league, made a lunging stop of Reggie Smith's sharp shot in the third with two men on base to initiate a double play that ended the threat.

And he lashed out three hits — the second a double — in his three times at bat.

He had seven hits in 16 appearances for a .438 batting average.

Even Reggie Jackson, hero of the 1977 World Series who lofted a prodigious home run over the right-center field bullpen in the seventh inning, sandwiching it among three strikeouts, joined in the praise of the team's two young infielders.

"They were great — not too much can be said about them," said Jackson.

Jackson's homer was his ninth in World Series action with the Oakland A's and the Yankees and put him just a step behind a star-spangled company that includes Babe Ruth, Lou Gehrig, Mickey Mantle, Duke Snider and Yogi Berra.

The victory was an exhilarating one for Catfish Hunter, bothered with a sore arm throughout most of the early season and troubled with diabetes.

"It was really great," Hunter said, spitting a wad of tobacco into a nearby receptacle.

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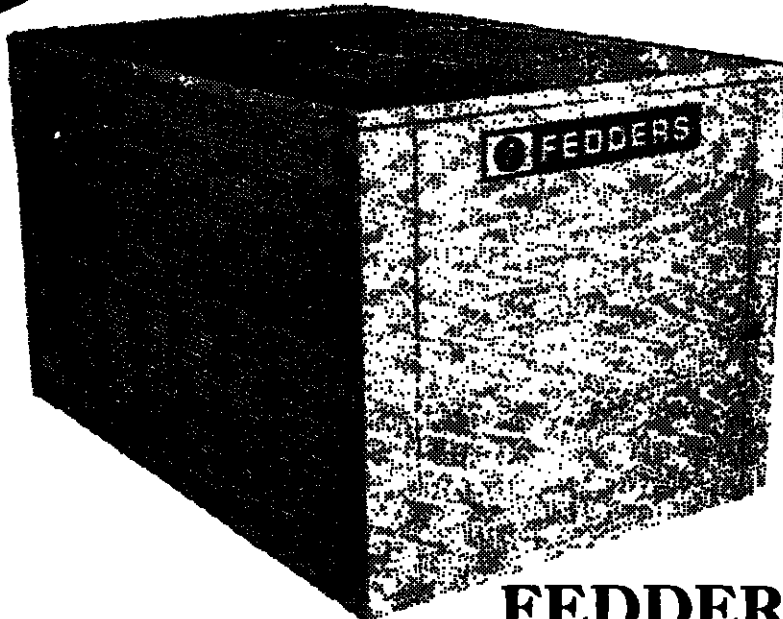
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# Japan announces enormous trade surplus for September

TOKYO, Oct. 18 (R) — Japan Wednesday announced another huge visible trade surplus in September following a dramatic increase in exports.

According to preliminary figures issued by the finance ministry, the September surplus rose to \$2.63 billion from \$1.99 billion in August. This also compares with only \$1.65 billion in September of last year.

Japan has been called upon by the other major powers to reduce its trade surplus in order to help ease the wild fluctuations of currency values on the world's foreign exchange markets. America's big trade

deficit, compared with strong surpluses of Japan and West Germany, has been an underlying cause of the dollar's chronic weakness.

As part of a series of pledges given by leaders of the major industrial democracies aimed at boosting the non-communist world's hesitant economic recovery, Prime Minister Takeo Fukuda promised that Japan would cut its surplus during the current financial year.

The finance ministry said Wednesday that free-on-board (FOB) exports in September rose by 31 per cent from a year earlier to \$8.72 billion,

while imports were up 21 per cent to \$6.09 billion.

Japan's overall balance of payments surplus in September rose to \$450 million from \$346 million in August, and the current account surplus increased to 1990 billion from \$1.29 billion, the ministry added.

## Turkey asks EEC for \$8.1 b aid

ANKARA, Oct. 18 (AP) — Turkey has asked the European Economic Community (EEC) for \$8.1 billion in economic aid over the next five years, a high-level official disclosed Wednesday.

Nazif Cuhuruk, head of the Foreign Ministry Economic Department, who led a Turkish delegation to Brussels last week for talks with EEC officials, told reporters that this amount constituted "a substantial portion" of the \$15.4 billion Turkey needs in hard currency to realize the targets of its fourth five-year economic development plan.

Cuhuruk did not say where Turkey would acquire the remaining hard currency, but it is already known that the country has been seeking credits from the Soviet Union, other Socialist countries, oil-rich neighbors, and international finance organizations.

## Abu Dhabi to increase development spending by 23%

ABU DHABI, Oct. 18 (R) — Abu Dhabi plans an increase of 23 per cent in development expenditure next year to 6.5 billion dirhams (about \$1.7 billion), the official Emirates News Agency said here Wednesday.

Quoting government sources here, it said the increase was less than the current year's rise of 26 per cent and attributed the decline in the growth of development expenditure to the completion of many major projects in the country.

The sources said the expenditure would go toward the completion of projects already under way and no new projects would be launched next year, a policy announced earlier this year.

But they said the allocations did not cover a multi-billion dollar oil, gas and petrochemicals development at Ruwais, 160 kilometers west of Abu Dhabi because this project was under the autonomous Abu Dhabi National Oil Company (ADNOC).

## Third World urges fairer deal between rich, poor countries

UNITED NATIONS, Oct. 18 (AP) — Third World and Communist countries have called for stepped-up efforts to work out a fairer deal between the world's rich industrial nations and poorer developing countries.

Victor Manuel Barco of Mexico told the U.N. General Assembly Tuesday there was an urgent need for economic action.

"Is there a right to close one's eyes to the plight of malnourished children and other people?" he asked, noting that the debate on the new economic order and been going on for four years.

Barco, Mexico's representative to the U.N. Economic and Social Council, spoke on the second day of a three-day debate aimed at clarifying the role which a 10-month-old committee of all U.N. members is to play in the dialogue between rich and poor nations.

The U.S. was reported Mon-

day to have finally agreed that the committee, known as the Committee of the Whole, should have the power to negotiate crucial issues that had reached a stalemate in specialized agencies.

The U.S. alone had earlier objected to permitting the committee to act on such issues, fearing it would have too much authority over expert-level agencies like the International Monetary Fund and the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade.

Imre Hallai of Hungary, speaking on behalf of the rest of the Communist Bloc, said these countries shared the developing countries' "dissatisfaction at the lack of progress in restructuring international economic relations."

## FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES

Opening Wednesday	Cash	Transfer
U.S. Dollar	3.33	3.32
Pound Sterling	6.66	6.67
Deutsche Mark (100)	180.50	180.50
Swiss F (100)	220.00	220.25
French F (100)	78.50	78.75
Italian Lira (1000)	4.10	4.10
Lebanese Lira (100)	112.75	112.25
Syrian Lira (100)	82.75	85.50
Egyptian Pound	4.70	4.77
Kuwaiti Dinar	12.55	12.28
Jordanian Dinar	11.20	11.15
Emirates Dirham (100)	86.00	86.10
Qatari Riyal (100)	86.00	86.10
Bahraini Dinar	8.60	8.61
Iraqi Dinar	10.50	—
Iranian Riyal (100)	46.50	47.25
Yemeni Riyal (100)	73.25	73.25
South Yemeni Dinar	—	—
Moroccan Dirham (100)	78.00	84.50
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## Gold at record height

## Dollar hits new low

LONDON, Oct. 18 (R) — The dollar sank again Wednesday on European foreign exchange markets and the price of gold, a standby in times of currency unrest, reached a record height for the fifth time since Oct. 10.

Dealers said there was still a general lack of confidence in the dollar which has been weakened by America's big trade deficit compared with strong trade surpluses of Japan and West Germany, and by

anxieties over American inflation.

In Frankfurt, the dollar fell to a record low when it was fixed at 1.8300 marks compared with 1.8408 Tuesday.

In Paris, the dollar was fixed at 4.2120 francs.

In Europe the price of gold soared as a reflection of the pressures on the dollar.

Gold was set at \$229.25 an ounce on the London Bullion Market Wednesday morning, above Tuesday's previous record of \$228.00 an ounce.

## Economic Briefs

●CARACAS — The United States will not reduce its oil imports from Venezuela as a result of congressional approval of President Carter's energy plan, U.S. Ambassador William Leurs has said. Leurs said that the intent of the Carter plan is to reduce U.S. domestic energy consumption in a "gradual" manner.

●TULSA, Oklahoma — Many offshore oil operators predict that the British government's tough line on tax and leasing procedures may mean less intense development of North Sea reserves, the "Oil and Gas Journal" has reported.

●OSLO — The Norwegian Development Agency (NORAD) has decided to postpone further financial aid to Tanzania's most ambitious development project, the one-billion dollar Stiegler's Gorge Hydro Electrical Power plant, and wants new negotiations with Tanzanian authorities, it was announced here.

●LUXEMBOURG — The European Common Market has warned Washington that multilateral trade negotiations now going on in Geneva could not be concluded under the threat of the U.S. imposing new duties on EEC products.

Foreign ministers or their deputies from the nine EEC states made the declaration Tuesday, after the U.S. Congress rose until Jan. 15 without renewing an existing waiver on these duties beyond Jan. 3.

## Saudi Arabian Government Tenders

Authority	Description	No. of Tender	Price SR	Closing Date
* King Faisal Air Academy	Building of a reserve electricity station	3	600	Nov. 26
* Ministry of Agriculture and Water	Building of six reservoirs for drinking water in the Green Valley in Tabuk	33/8	20	Oct. 25
* Directorate of Education, Al-Jauf	Securing of scouts uniform and kits for region's schools	xx	100	Oct. 24
* Directorate of Civil Aviation	Fire extinguishing material (foam)	xx	300	Nov. 25
* Governorate of the Eastern Province	Securing of power generators	xx	Free	Dec. 17
* Ministry of P.T.T.	Printing material for ministry	3-98/99	25	Nov. 19
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7	NILKANTHA	GULF	STEEL/GENERAL	15/10/1978
8	MALDIVE ENERGY	ORRI	GENERAL/RICE	14/10/1978
9	FEN BANK	ALIREZA	GENERAL	17/10/1978
10	SILVER LIME	SAITE	STEEL	16/10/1978
12	MONCEY	ALSAADA	GENERAL/PIPES	17/10/1978
13	VAN TRIUMPH	KANOO	STEEL PIPES	15/10/1978
16	LISANA	ALSAADA	STEEL BARS	15/10/1978
19	ORIENTAL VENUS	GOSAIBI	C. CEMENT	17/10/1978
21	HAYMANN (D.B.)	BARBER	BULK CEMENT	3/10/1978
22	SEALAND PACER	REZAYAT	CONTAINERS	17/10/1978
S.C.P.	LADY BERINA	KANOO	GENERAL	6/10/1978
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3	MALDIVE SKIPPER	OCEAN TRD.	GENERAL	16/10/1978
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12	AVANTICUM	KANOO	BAGGED CEMENT	21/10/1978
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19	GRENA	ALSAABA	BULK CEMENT	10/10/1978
20	ELENI 2	A.A.	BAGGED CEMENT	5/10/1978
21	MAIRE	BAROON	BAGGED CEMENT	17/10/1978
22	TRANQUILLO	—	—	—
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39	PORT NICHOLSON	A.E.T.	STEEL/GENERAL/ REEFER	16/10/1978
40	AUSTRIAN TRADER	ATTAR	SOFT WOOD	17/10/1978
41	KOMESHIMA	STAR NAV.	BANANAS	6/10/1978
42	EVER HONESTY	AL GOSAIBI	CTRS./PIPES/ST. BARS	14/10/1978
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	ALI SHAN	—	REEFER	17/10/1978
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	AN HSING	O.C.E.	RO RO	17/10/1978
	ALPHA PROGRESS	ALGOSAIBI	FROZ. POULTRY	17/10/1978
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## COMMODITY PRICES

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## BASIC MATERIALS

October 17 Lanchette Prices

### COCOA

	Today's Closing	Previous Closing
	per tonne	
December	1885	1888
March	1911	1908
July	1929	1928
September	1939	1930
October	1913	1930
December	1913	1907
March	1906.5	1890

### RUBBER

November	December
January-M4	January-M4
April-June	July-September
Oct.-December	January-M4
April-June	July-September

### SOYABE

### ROBUSTA COFFEE

	Today's Closing	Previous Closing
	per tonne	
November	1628	1625
January	1582	1581
March	1563	1561
July	1584	1582
September	1558	1550
November	1525	1525
December	1515	1515

October	December
February	February
April	April
June	June
August	August
October	October

### ARABICA COFFEE

	Today's Closing	Previous Closing
	per 50 Kils	
August	UNQ	UNQ
October	UNQ	UNQ
December	UNQ	UNQ
February	UNQ	UNQ
April	UNQ	UNQ
June	UNQ	UNQ
September	UNQ	UNQ

### RAW SUG

Sugar Su	Comm
December	March
March	May
May	August
August	October
October	December

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		WOOL	
		Australian Grassy Wool	
Today's Closing	Previous Closing	Today's Closing	Previous Closing
Pence per kilo		Pence per kilo	
.....	60.50	.....	227.0
.....	62.00	.....	228.0
.....	63.50	.....	230.0
.....	65.00	.....	232.0
.....	66.50	.....	234.0
.....	68.00	.....	236.0
.....	70.50	.....	238.0
.....	72.00	.....	240.0
.....	73.50	.....	242.0
.....	74.00	.....	244.0
.....	76.00	.....	248.0
		GRAINS	
		Wheat Yesterday's Closing	Berley Yesterday's Closing
		¢ per bush	
Today's Closing	Today's Closing		
Per bush			
.....	126.50	.....	88.50
.....	129.00	.....	90.50
.....	131.50	.....	92.50
.....	134.00	.....	94.50
.....	136.50	.....	96.50
.....	139.00	.....	98.50
		BASIC MINERALS	
		Today's Closing	Previous Closing
		Per long ton	
.....	109.50	.....	109.50
.....	112.50	.....	112.50
.....	114.50	.....	114.50
.....	116.50	.....	116.50
.....	118.50	.....	118.50
.....	121.50	.....	121.50
.....	125.50	.....	125.50
		SILVER	
		Today's Closing	Previous Closing
		Per long ton	
.....	109.50	.....	109.50
.....	112.50	.....	112.50
.....	114.50	.....	114.50
.....	116.50	.....	116.50
.....	118.50	.....	118.50
.....	121.50	.....	121.50
.....	125.50	.....	125.50
		ALUMINUM	
		Today's Closing	Previous Closing
		¢ per lb	
.....	109.50	.....	109.50
.....	112.50	.....	112.50
.....	114.50	.....	114.50
.....	116.50	.....	116.50
.....	118.50	.....	118.50
.....	121.50	.....	121.50
.....	125.50	.....	125.50

**PHASE**

	Today's Closing	Previous Closing
<b>COPPER</b>		
Wirebars		
Cash	747.80	748.00
Three months	758.50	759.00
Settlement	748.00	—
Cathodes		
Cash	734.50	735.50
Three months	755.00	756.50
Settlement	735.00	—
<b>TIN</b>		
Standard		
Cash	7850	7860
Three months	7870	7875
Settlement	7860	—
High Grade		
Cash	7850	7860
Three months	7995	7985
Settlement	7860	—
<b>LEAD</b>		
Today's Closing	Previous Closing	
417.00	418.00	
Three months	397.50	
Settlement	418.00	
<b>ZINC</b>		
Today's Closing	Previous Closing	
353.00	354.00	
Three months	364.00	
Settlement	354.00	

اعطوا الذهب والفضة

LONDON BULLION MARKET		
LONDON GOLD		
October 17		
00 p.m. fix .....	\$227.75	
Morning fix .....	\$228.00	

مؤشرات سوق البترول		
DOW JONES CLOSING STOCK AVERAGES		
October 16		
40 Industrials .....	875.17	DN 21.92 or 2.44%
Transport .....	340.96	DN 5.85 or 1.73%
Utilities .....	186.29	DN 0.86 or 0.45%
5 Stocks .....	302.09	DN 6.60 or 2.14%

DOW JONES NOON STOCK AVERAGES		
October 17		
40 Industrials .....	868.24	DN 6.93 or 0.79%
Transport .....	339.89	DN 4.87 or 1.40%
Utilities .....	186.14	DN 0.75 or 0.71%
5 Stocks .....	298.73	DN 3.35 or 1.11%

cementi .....	22000	22.25
travi Ercole .....	303	305.25
travi Marcelli .....	510	510
travi .....	7500	7500

	Oct. 16	Sept.	Commodities Dollar	U.S. Dollar
per ton (c.i.f. term ...)	100.00	75.50	80.00	
per 100 lbs. of ...	11.11%	8.34%	9.00%	
12 1/2-13 1/2	12.13%	9.40%	9.51/10.11	
per month ...	12.13%	9.40%	9.51/10.11	
per annum ...	12.13%	9.40%	9.51/10.11	
12 1/2-13 1/2	12.13%	9.40%	9.51/10.11	
12 1/2-13 1/2	12.13%	9.40%	9.51/10.11	

Price .....	8.4400-8.4500
Sum .....	58.10-58.20
.....	1624.00-1625.00

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### Opening Prices

TON	1.9590-1.9960		
20, 100-29.125	94.14-94.12		
.....	4.2316-4.2338		
.....	813.75-813.90		
.....	2.8108-2.8109		
.....	1.5070-1.5090		
.....	1.2080-1.2010		
.....	101.90-102.00		
RU	13.47-13.50		
.....	5.4288-5.4488		
.....	4.9340-4.9370		
.....	Unavailable		
.....	4.3790-4.3900		
IN	39.80-39.85		
.....	69.70-69.80		
CO	Unavailable		

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 240, twelve months 280-270 disc.  
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 three months 1 disc 3 prem, six months 10-21 prem,  
 nine months 20-30 prem.

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Italian Lira	Dollar	Japanese Yen
10-13	—	4 1/4-4 1/2
14-16	8 1/4	2 1/2-3
14 1/2-15 1/2	9 1/4	2 1/2-3
14 1/2-15 1/2	9 1/4-10	3 5/16-3 11/16
15 1/2-16 1/2	10 1/2-10 3/4	3 7/16-3 13/16
13 1/4-14 1/4	10 1/2-10 3/4	3 7/16-3 13/16

three months 9.70-9.80 per cent; six months 12 1/2  
 per cent; nine months 9 1/4-9 1/2 per cent nominal

\* Asian rates are calculated on 100 yen

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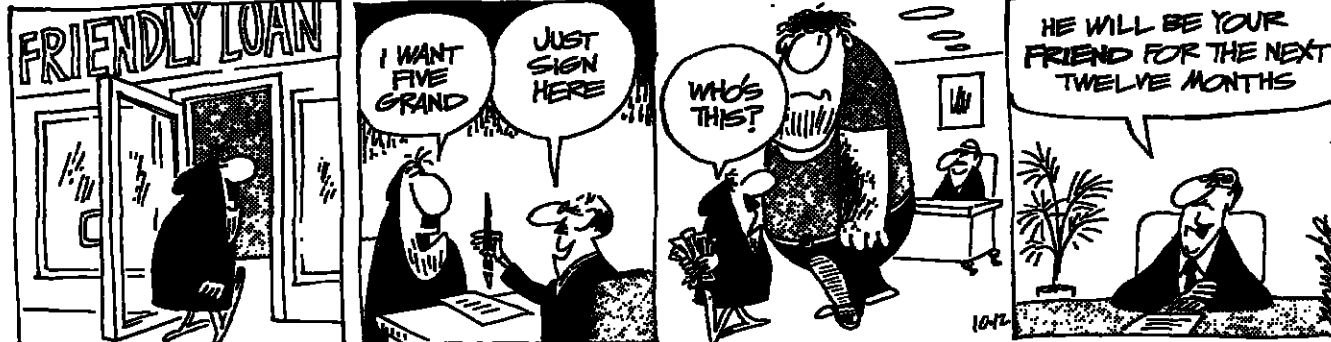
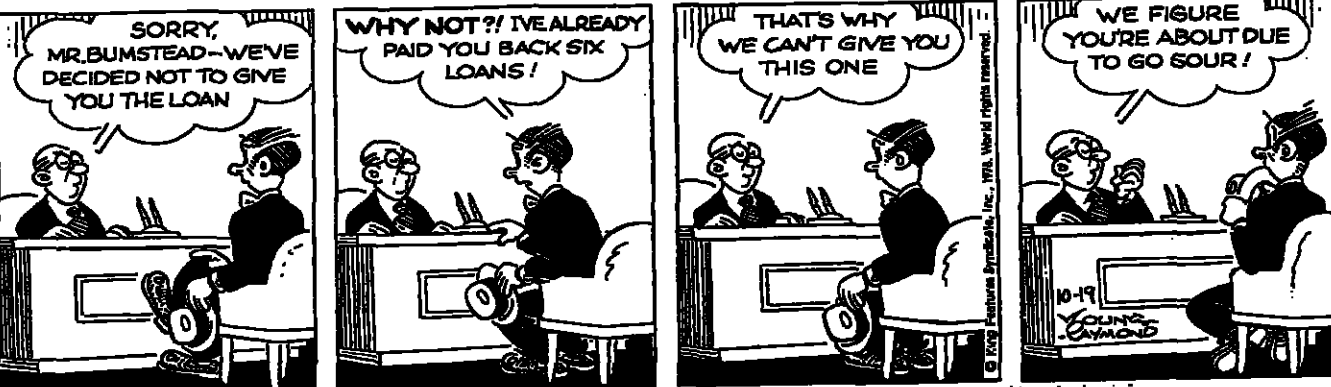
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**Crossword**  
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ACROSS  
1 Greek letter  
4 Cult  
10 Solitary  
12 Shown beyond doubt  
13 Bathing shape  
14 Holiday spot  
15 Nonspecific  
17 Fury  
18 Ruler  
19 The Ger.  
20 Furtive acid source  
21 French director  
22 In short supply  
23 No longer blooming  
24 Civil wrong  
27 Hinge  
28 or Nixon  
29 USNA grad  
30 Didn't make it  
31 Hoosier humorist  
32 Part of E.T.A.  
33 Grinnell country  
34 Part of church  
35 Palat  
36 Reduct  
37 Tell  
41 Taro root

DOWN  
1 Obstruct  
2 Wait near  
3 at hand  
5 Sully  
6 Race  
7 Construct  
8 John  
9 Fiasco  
10 Summed  
11 Earthly  
12 Metricated  
13 Gracefully refused  
14 Budget item  
15 Ship's leader  
16 In plain sight  
17 No longer blooming  
18 Civil wrong  
19 Hinge  
20 or Nixon  
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30 Taro root

Yesterday's Answer  
28 Ship  
29 Circumvent  
30 Bowle  
31 James  
32 Tolerance  
33 Candidant  
34 Candiant  
35 Candiant  
36 Candiant  
37 Candiant  
38 Candiant  
39 Candiant  
40 Candiant  
41 Candiant

THE BIDDING:  
East Pass 34  
West Pass 34  
North Pass 10  
South Pass 10

Opening lead - ten of spades.  
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Apparently, something went wrong later on when North chose to pass South's jump-shift response in clubs. South

# Contract Bridge B. Jay Becker

**Famous Hand**  
Both sides vulnerable.  
NORTH  
♠ 7 2  
♥ K 4 2  
♦ K 7 4  
♣ 8 5 4  
EAST  
♠ A 4 3  
♥ 9 7 4  
♦ Q 10 9 8 6  
♣ A 5  
SOUTH  
♠ K J 8  
♥ Q J 6 5  
♦ —  
♣ K Q 7 6 3

The bidding:  
East Pass  
West Pass  
North Pass  
South 1 NT  
East 2 NT  
West 3 NT  
North 3 NT  
South 4 NT

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# ARAB NEWS CALENDAR

## PRAYER TIMES

THURSDAY

	Fair	Ishraq	Dhuhr	Asr	Maghreb	Isha
Mecca	5:04	6:23	12:12	3:33	5:57	7:27
Medina	5:08	6:24	12:16	3:33	5:56	7:26
Nejd	4:34	5:54	11:42	3:01	5:24	6:54

## DHAHRAN TV

3:30 Children's Show	CB Bears: Hard Headed
4:50 Jokers Wild	Hard Hat: Heavy
5:10 Wide World Of Sports	No. 508
6:02 Waltons	Acrobatic Water Ski
6:51 Wel. Bk Kotter	The Big Brother
	One Of Our Sweathogs Is Missing
7:25 Safety Film	Take Notice
7:26 Police Woman	Death Game
8:16 That's My Mama	Cliffons Big Move
8:41 Second Run	Baxter

## WEATHER

Forecast for the next 24 hours:  
Moderate weather over most parts of the Kingdom but humid over the coastal regions with a likelihood of mist over the eastern coast in the early hours of the morning. Surface winds will blow mostly northerly at light to moderate speed.  
Sea conditions will be light to medium in the Red Sea and calm to light in the Gulf.

Wednesday's temperatures (maximum, minimum in centigrade)

Mecca	37	26	Taif	31	16
Riyadh	36	17	Tabuk	29	17
Jeddah	34	25	Hail	33	13
Dhahran	36	19	Bisha	31	14
Medina	38	22	Abha	26	12

## SAUDI RADIO

Afternoon Transmission  
1:00 Opening  
1:01 The Holy Quran  
1:05 Gems of Guidance  
1:10 S.A. - A Daily Chronicle  
1:15 S.A. Historical Notes  
1:30 Off the Record  
2:00 Your Choice  
2:30 On Islam  
2:40 Islam the Divine Truth  
2:55 Music  
3:00 NBWS  
3:10 Press Review  
3:15 Music  
3:20 My Music  
3:50 Close Down

Evening Transmission  
10:00 Opening  
10:01 The Holy Quran  
10:05 Message to the Faithful  
10:10 Light Music  
10:15 NEWS  
10:25 S.A. - A Daily Chronicle  
10:30 Music Worldwide  
11:00 Champions of Solidarity  
11:10 Press Review  
11:15 The Sixties  
11:45 The World of Guitar  
12:00 Islamic Contributions  
12:15 The Songwriters  
12:45 A Rendezvous with Dreams  
12:59 Close Down

## VOA

P.M.  
8:00 News Roundup: Reports: Actualities: Opinion: Analyses  
8:30 Dateline  
9:00 News Summary  
9:00 Special English: News; Feature: The Making of a Nation  
9:30 News Summary  
9:30 Music USA: (Standards)  
10:00 News Roundup: Reports: Actualities: Opinion: Analyses  
10:15 Opinion: Analyses

News Summary  
10:30 VOA Magazine: America; Science; Cultural; Letter  
11:00 Special English: News  
11:30 Music USA: (Jazz)  
VOA WORLD REPORT  
Midnight  
12:00 News... newsmakers' voices... correspondents reports... background features... media comments... news analyses.

## BBC

Morning Transmission  
8:00 Word News  
8:09 Twenty-Four Hours News Summary  
8:30 \*Sarah Ward  
8:45 World Today  
9:00 Newsweek  
Themes from Childhood  
10:00 World News  
10:09 Twenty-Four Hours: News Summary  
10:30 \*Sarah Ward  
10:45 \*The Spy who came in from the Cold  
11:00 World News  
11:09 Reflections  
11:15 Encore  
11:30 The Farming World  
12:00 World News  
12:09 British Press Review  
12:15 World Today  
12:30 Financial News  
12:40 Look Ahead  
12:45 Wales and the West  
Afternoon Transmission  
1:00 From the Musical Festival  
1:30 I'm Sorry I'll Read That Again  
2:00 World News  
2:09 News about Britain  
2:15 People and Folk  
2:30 Business Matters  
3:00 Radio Newsreel  
3:15 Top Twenty  
3:45 Sports Round-up  
4:00 World News  
4:09 Twenty-Four Hours: News Summary  
4:30 News Ideas  
4:40 Clayton's Concise Dictionary

4:45 Many Reasons Why  
5:30 Big Band Sound  
6:00 Radio Newsreel  
6:15 \*Outlook  
7:00 World News  
7:09 Commentary  
7:15 \*Themes from Childhood  
7:45 World Today  
8:00 World News  
8:09 \*Book Choice  
8:15 John Peel  
8:45 Sports Round-up  
9:00 World News  
9:09 News about Britain  
9:15 Radio Newsreel  
9:30 Brain of Britain 1978  
10:00 Outlook: News Summary  
10:39 Stock Market Report  
10:43 Look Ahead  
10:45 Alphabet of Musical Curios  
11:00 World News  
11:09 Twenty-Four Hours: News Summary  
11:30 A Jolly Good Show  
Midnight Transmission  
12:12 Paperbacks  
12:30 Business Matters  
1:20 World News  
1:09 World Today  
1:25 Financial News  
1:35 Book Choice  
1:45 Reflections  
1:45 Sports Round-up  
2:30 World News  
2:09 Commentary  
2:15 Merchant Navy  
2:30 Top Twenty

## Your Individual Horoscope

Frances Drake

FOR THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1978

What kind of day will tomorrow be? To find out what the stars say, read the forecast given for your birth sign.

**ARIES** (Mar. 21 to Apr. 20) ♈  
Use your irrefragable good spirits to cheer up a depressed friend. You can see that the problem causing this isn't serious.  
**TAURUS** (Apr. 21 to May 21) ♉  
Don't let co-workers get away with passing the buck. Stand up for your rights, and tell it like it is. Be assertive.  
**GEMINI** (May 22 to June 21) ♊  
You are very attractive to the opposite sex today - but don't get carried away. It could lead to long-range complications.  
**CANCER** (June 22 to July 22) ♋  
Don't waste time crying over past problems. Face today with optimism. A bright outlook can change the complexion of things and bring you good luck.  
**LEO** (July 23 to Aug. 23) ♌  
Stop worrying. Your fears are groundless. As a matter of fact, the prospects for the immediate future are better than they've been in weeks.  
**VIRGO** (Aug. 24 to Sept. 23) ♍  
Don't let passion run away with you. This can only lead to trouble as you know from past performance. Let your mind, not your emotions, rule. LIBRA (Sept. 24 to Oct. 23) ♎  
An imaginative idea will pay off if you present it forcefully. Your ingenuity is at its peak today, so give it full swing.  
**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24 to Nov. 22) ♏  
Harness your energy to get necessary tasks done, then relax enjoyably in the p.m. hours. A new friend could brighten your life considerably.  
**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 23 to Dec. 21) ♐  
Expect to hear from a distant relative. Good news is on the way, and there's a chance that a little sum of money will be involved.  
**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) ♑  
You may feel down, but put up a good front and no one will be the wiser. The problem that's bothering you is on its way to a happy solution.  
**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) ♒  
Someone you love needs your help and sympathy. Resist the impulse to dismiss his or her problems lightly. They could be serious.  
**PISCES** (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) ♓  
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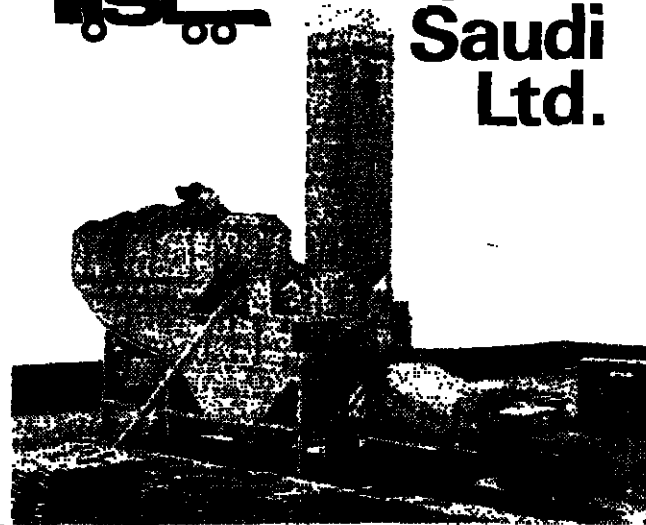
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## At Moscow meeting

# Jordan heir, Kosygin balk at Camp David

MOSCOW, Oct. 18 (Agencies)—Crown Prince Hassan of Jordan and Soviet Prime Minister Alexei Kosygin Wednesday agreed that the Camp David peace agreements were a source of tension in the Middle East, Tass news agency said.

Reporting on Kremlin talks between the two men, Tass

said both sides emphasized that a just durable peace could only come through a comprehensive settlement with the participation of all sides, including the Palestine Liberation Organization.

Prince Hassan, who is on a week's visit to the Soviet Union, noted with Kosygin that "continuing Israeli aggres-

sion, the attempts of Israel and the forces backing it to frustrate a just and comprehensive settlement, to have partial separate deals instead...are the cause of the constant tension in the Middle East."

Jordanian newspapers reported Wednesday that King Hussein had not yet given the

United States his final word on the Egyptian-Israeli peace agreements worked out last month.

While criticizing the accords, Jordan has not followed hardline Arab denunciations.

The Kremlin which backs the hardline against President Sadat, is likely to be pressing Jordan to reject the peace agreements outright.

Prince Hassan and Kosygin reaffirmed their commitment to the Geneva peace conference as the principal forum for achieving a true settlement.

The Jordanian prince expressed his country's "profound gratitude to the Soviet Union for the all-round support it is giving to the Arabs in their just struggle," Tass said.

Hassan had arrived Monday in the Soviet capital on what Tass called a "friendly visit."

Arab diplomats have said Hassan's trip was partly aimed to show that Jordan might make use of its "Soviet card" in weighing what kind of policy to pursue after Camp David.



King Hassan II

## King Hassan to visit U.S.

RABAT, Oct. 18 (R)—King Hassan II of Morocco will visit the United States and confer with President Carter on Nov. 14 and 15, it was officially announced Wednesday.

The king said recently that he and Carter would discuss particularly the politics of north-west Africa and the conflict with neighboring Algeria over the Western Sahara.

# KLM pilot blamed for Tenerife

MADRID, Oct. 18 (R)—The world's worst air disaster—in which 582 people died in a fiery crash at Tenerife Airport—was caused mainly because the captain of a Dutch jumbo jet took off last year without authorization, a Spanish government report said Wednesday.

The KLM Boeing 747 was in collision with another 747 owned by Pan American on the runway at the Canary Islands airport on March 27, 1977.

The report by the Spanish Commission for Investigation of Accidents said KLM Captain Jacob Veldhuyzen van Zanten, who was killed in the crash, disobeyed a control tower order to stand by for take-off.

He received only his route authorization but immediately began to take off without control tower permission, it said.

Despite being told that the Pan Am jumbo was still on the runway, taxiing towards him, the Dutch captain did not halt his take-off.

The report was handed to the American and Dutch embassies in Madrid by the Transport and Communications Ministry.

The report—described as technical and not judicial—cited bad weather, unclear communications and im-

perfection on the KLM flight deck as possible reasons for the Dutch captain's action.

The commission also said other factors may have contributed to the disaster. These included:

— Imperfect language used in conversations between the control tower and the airlines.

— The fact that the Pan

Am plane had not left the runway by the correct taxi lane. It nevertheless twice reported it was still on the runway.

— Unusual airport congestion which obliged the Tenerife control tower to order potentially dangerous movements of planes on the ground.

# Rhodesian troops launch offensive in Mozambique

SALISBURY, Oct. 18 (R)—Rhodesian troops Wednesday launched an attack into Mozambique to strike at Patriotic Front guerrilla bases, military headquarters announced.

The military said after the last incursion that raids into neighboring countries against Patriotic Front bases were a continuing exercise.

There was no immediate indication of the extent of the latest operation.

A terse military communiqué said only: "Security forces today launched self-defense operations against ZANLA bases in Mozambique. Additional communications will be issued."

ZANLA is Mugabe's Zimbabwe African National Liberation Army.

The attack came as Rhodesia's entire Executive Council was visiting the United States in an attempt to win the American people onto their side.

The Executive Council, supreme body of the government,

comprises white Premier Ian Smith, Abel Muzorewa, Nkomo, Bishop and Chief Jeremiah Chirau.

In their absence the government is being run by their deputies and the war is conducted by a War Council presided over by armed forces commander Lieut.-Gen. Peter Walls.

# India 291 for 3; Test draw seen

FAISALABAD, Oct. 18 (R)—The first cricket test between India and Pakistan for 17 years looks almost certain to end in a draw.

At the close of the third day's play India were 291 for three in reply to Pakistan's first innings score of 503 for eight declared and now need only 12 runs to avoid the indignity of being asked to follow on.

## In Europe arsenal

# U.S. fits bombs for neutron heads

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18 (Agencies)—The United States said Wednesday it was converting some of its nuclear weapons in Europe to make them capable of being fitted with neutron warheads in case it were found necessary to introduce neutron weapons there in the future.

American military experts designed the bomb to counter increasing conventional force increases, particularly of tanks, by the Warsaw Pact along the central European front.

The bomb, known formally as an "enhanced radiation warhead," is designed to kill enemy soldiers, including tank drivers, without causing wide-

spread destruction of buildings in populated areas. It has a smaller blast area than normal nuclear weapons, but it emits a barrage of deadly neutrons.

The new generation of warheads, designed as eight-inch spheres for a Lance missile of the type deployed in Europe, will be fitted with regular nuclear explosives but could be quickly changed to neutron weapons.

The Soviet Union has waged a worldwide propaganda campaign against the bomb ever since its development became publicly known.

Its argument is that the bomb is particularly abhorrent because its lack of destructive power against property, as op-

posed to people, would make it more tempting to use.

The counter-argument is that the bomb is a more effective deterrent against conventional attack, precisely because it could be used effectively to stop one.

The bomb caused great controversy in West Germany, where it would principally be deployed. For a time, the administration in Washington and Bonn played a game of telephone and Gato, each wanting the other to take the responsibility for requesting its deployment.

# Agreement hardly closer as Pretoria meeting ends

PRETORIA, Oct. 18 (R)—Western foreign ministers ended talks with the South African government Wednesday on the future of Namibia, apparently without reaching any final agreement.

South African Foreign Minister P. W. Botha said later: "The West has made certain proposals. They will be further considered by the South African government and the government will make its decision known, possibly tomorrow."

Diplomatic sources said there was a measure of agreement on the most critical issue: how to reconcile South African

plans for elections in the territory in December with United Nations proposals for an internationally-supervised ballot next year.

Foreign ministers of the United States, Britain, West Germany, Canada, plus the French deputy foreign minister, debated the whole problem with South Africa in three-day talks. The Western five were preparing to leave Pretoria Wednesday night.

South Africa, which has ruled the territory for more than 60 years, could face U.N. trade sanctions in the absence of an acceptable agreement.

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Palestinians and Arabs are parties. Thus we were able to move the Palestinian problem into the international environment."

Asked why the United States was insisting in Rhodesia on talking to the African guerrilla leaders, but would not talk to the Palestine Liberation Organization, he said that this apparent inconsistency stemmed from the fact that the PLO has not yet accepted Resolution 242. "We told the Arabs that the United States cannot negotiate with the PLO as long as it does not recognize Resolution 242," he added. If they do, "the U.S. will regard the PLO differently."

He said that at Camp David, Israel accepted a settlement that recognizes the legitimate rights of the Palestinians. "We hope that in the post-Camp David environment there will be a role for the PLO, and if there is a new PLO statement, we shall come out with a new American position," he said.

"What we are doing is to try to explain exactly what is to be gained from a Palestinian participation—in the self-governing body—but they have not yet finished the process of reaching a conclusion."

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# A BUSY WEEK IN "DHAHRAN PALACE HOTEL-RAMADA"



The last week was a very busy one for Ramada Hotel, hardly a night passed without a major event, starting off with a series of Receptions and Buffet Suppers held by RAMADA to introduce itself to as many people as possible. Top executives of Companies, Travel Agencies and Airlines were met at RAMADA's ASIR SUITE by Carl Donnelly, the Hotel's General Manager, along with the rest of the Hotel's management team.

Another major event was the arrival of the first Airline crew that will stay at the RAMADA on a regular basis, one night a week, all year through. The TWA crew members were met at the Airport by RAMADA's bus, and when they arrived at the Hotel, they were received by Carl Donnelly, General Manager; Norbert Uhlig, Executive Assistant Manager, and Mohammed El-Ghamrawy Sales and Public Relations Manager. Photographers filled the Hotel lobby, and welcome drinks were served. The crew was invited to a Reception and Buffet Dinner later at night, and each of them was asked to sign a special memorial autograph folder, which had written on it; "Just as the United States of America was the first to land on the moon...Trans World Airlines was the first to land its crew in our RAMADA in Dhahran, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia... and to us... THIS IS GOOD NEWS!"

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